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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 08/02/2007

On August 1, 2007, [redacted] DOB [redacted]
[redacted] SSAN [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] residence, [redacted]
[redacted] After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

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[redacted] the U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID). [redacted]

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[redacted] complained that security at USAMRIID was lacking while [redacted] worked there, stating [redacted] regularly voiced their concerns with no results. Security guards had almost no power to really secure the facility and were not allowed to search anyone coming in or out. [redacted] commented there is no way guards would know if someone was taking something such as a pathogen out of the facility. [redacted] added it would have been very difficult to search someone because unless the security officer had spent time in a laboratory, they would not know what to look for. In addition, there was no x-ray machine in use at the time [redacted] worked at USAMRIID to search items coming in or out of the facility.

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[redacted] complaints about the physical security of the facility: the doors opened automatically and would remain open for thirty seconds to one minute, allowing anyone to pass through the doors without using their security badge; the power was always going out to the buildings and although the doors are supposed to lock in the event of a power failure, they did not always lock and in any event could be pushed open; several cameras did not work or were fuzzy and several of the monitors were off completely. [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] was aware of an unnamed individual who worked in the [redacted] office that entered Building [redacted] in plain clothes to see how far [redacted] could get into the building before anyone challenged [redacted]. According to [redacted] the individual made it half-way through the building without showing any identification before being stopped. [redacted] could not remember the name of this individual, but thought it may have been [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] were the ones who first told [redacted] about the security problems at USAMRIID, and [redacted] described them as "disgusted" by those issues.

[redacted] summed up [redacted] concerns about security at USAMRIID stating, [redacted] They spent thousands of dollars on lab equipment, but nothing was spent to make sure it stayed in the labs." Security, in [redacted] opinion, was "considered a nuisance."

[redacted]
[redacted] believed that most of the security problems were common knowledge, or it would have been easy for someone to figure out.

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[redacted] could not recall the names of anyone [redacted] worked with [redacted] but recalled two people [redacted] had worked with while assigned as a [redacted] with whom [redacted] worked for approximately [redacted] and who may have left [redacted] before [redacted] did; and [redacted] who was [redacted] and took [redacted] place in the lab. [redacted] was not sure of this [redacted] name, but believed it to be [redacted] [redacted] could not recall the name of the person [redacted] worked for in the lab, only that [redacted] was a [redacted] never worked in the [redacted] Division, although [redacted] was in the [redacted] Division "a lot", [redacted]

[redacted] could not recall the names of any specific individuals that worked at USAMRIID, and specifically denied any knowledge of [redacted]. The only name that sounded familiar to [redacted] was BRUCE IVINS, but [redacted] did not know why. When shown a photograph of IVINS, [redacted] did not recognize him, and commented that he looked like a lot of different people. [redacted] was not told at that time that the man in the photograph was IVINS.

The only people [redacted] recalled working long or late hours did so on a regular basis, so their work hours did not stand out as unusual to [redacted] could not recall any specific person that worked such hours. According to [redacted] only a few people came in after hours, but they had usually worked through the day, so again, their hours did not stand out to [redacted]

[redacted] has an interest in [redacted] and would talk to "just about everybody" about [redacted] interest. [redacted] does not recall talking about [redacted] interest in [redacted] with any particular person. [redacted] admitted it is possible that someone could have asked [redacted] about [redacted] but does not remember any specific occasion.

[redacted] was specifically asked if [redacted] remembered IVINS or any conversations with [redacted] was told that IVINS frequently worked late, odd hours. [redacted] then thought that might be why his name was familiar, because [redacted] [redacted] does not remember talking to IVINS about [redacted] interest in [redacted]

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[redacted] which IVINS may have seen and asked about. [redacted] was told that IVINS remembered talking to [redacted] and part of an email wherein IVINS detailed his conversation with [redacted] was read to [redacted]. Even with these additional details, [redacted] did not recall any conversation with IVINS.

[redacted] recalled only one incident that stood out in [redacted] mind while [redacted] when [redacted] received a phone call from a man claiming [redacted]

[redacted] then contacted [redacted] [redacted] recalled [redacted] initially thought [redacted] woke [redacted] up because [redacted] was so harsh with [redacted] was surprised at how mean, rude, and antagonistic [redacted] was. [redacted] would not name the [redacted] and chastised [redacted] for asking. [redacted] only wanted [redacted] and speak with [redacted] directly. [redacted] believes [redacted] would have noted the phone call [redacted] also kept [redacted] notes on the incident until [redacted] in case the [redacted] filed a complaint or took some other action against [redacted] never knew the name of [redacted] and could not recall the name of [redacted] [redacted] was positive this incident took place in the [redacted] a few months before [redacted]

[redacted] remembered only one specific conversation with someone at USAMRIID, although [redacted] could not remember the names of anyone involved. [redacted] was talking to [redacted] about [redacted] with whom [redacted] believed [redacted] was very close, but [redacted] had suddenly stopped talking to [redacted] and would not return [redacted] calls or emails. [redacted] had been [redacted] and [redacted] remembered telling [redacted] that people will withdraw from the people they are closest to in that situation because they are afraid. [redacted] told [redacted] a few weeks later that [redacted] was right, [redacted]

[redacted] is now working towards a degree in [redacted] commenting it would be hard to get a job with a [redacted] major, but [redacted] can get a job in [redacted] although [redacted] hates [redacted]

[redacted] commented that due to [redacted] [redacted] could not now work for [redacted] which [redacted] had

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always wanted to do. Although [redacted] is still interested in [redacted]
[redacted] after [redacted] experiences dealing with [redacted]
[redacted] would now like to work for [redacted] to help other
people.

At the beginning of this interview, [redacted] signed a Non-Disclosure Agreement, which is filed with the original notes of this interview, along with the photograph of IVINS presented to [redacted]

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Number [redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] Phone [redacted]
[redacted] address [redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed telephonically. [redacted] was advised
of the identity of the interviewing agent and the purpose of the
interview. [redacted] was re-contacted to confirm [redacted] personal
information. [redacted] BRUCE IVINS, a
scientist who works with *Bacillus anthracis* (Ba) [Anthrax] while
employed at the United States Army Medical Research Institute of
Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), 1425 Porter Street, Fort
Detrick, Maryland. [redacted] was previously interviewed on
05/10/2007. [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] advised [redacted]
[redacted] knew IVINS. [redacted] did not remember who
told [redacted] about an article that was printed in the local paper,
the [redacted] regarding the supposed death of BRUCE IVINS.
[redacted] never actually saw the article but thought that IVINS'
older brother was interviewed for the article and was quoted as
saying something like "my dear deceased brother Bruce."

[redacted] thought that IVINS' death was discussed at
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] hoped that IVINS was not in any trouble
[redacted]

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[redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] SSN [redacted]
[redacted] home address [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] residence. Also present during the interview was [redacted] were advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview. [redacted] signed Non-Disclosure Agreements, which were placed in an FD-340. [redacted] allowed agents to make photocopies [redacted] which were placed in an FD-340 along with the Non-Disclosure Agreements. [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] worked for [redacted]
[redacted] currently is the [redacted] phone number [redacted] email [redacted] currently is the [redacted]

[redacted] also had contact with IVINS in [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] The last time [redacted] saw IVINS was at [redacted] described IVINS as having a good sense of humor, mainly the dry sense. [redacted] added that IVINS was the "science type." [redacted] also described IVINS as being very intelligent and honest, but added that a lot of time had passed since [redacted] "knew him. [redacted] stated that IVINS was a "super guy" and was loyal to his country.

[redacted]
[redacted] and knew of IVINS' attendance at [redacted]

[redacted] also knew IVINS. [redacted]

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[redacted] used to call IVINS "SNIVI", the IVINS name spelled backward, which is what IVINS' father gave the name to their own brand of vitamins.

[redacted] IVINS attended the University of Cincinnati from 1964-1968. [redacted]

[redacted] knew that IVINS had one brother named [redacted] but could not recall the other brothers name. [redacted] did not know of any discontent IVINS had toward [redacted] IVINS! [redacted]

[redacted] would have the details regarding when this occurred. [redacted] added that [redacted] who lives in [redacted] would know, because one of the [redacted] lives at [redacted] [redacted] phone number [redacted]

During college, IVINS wanted to date [redacted]

went on one date with IVINS, but did not like him. [redacted]

[redacted] IVINS was not "extremely upset" over [redacted] did not observe IVINS being upset or down as a result of anyone. IVINS was not a "physical specimen" and [redacted] believed IVINS had scoliosis and thought he wore a neck brace in college. IVINS always walked very square.

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[redacted] never observed IVINS date anyone [redacted]
IVINS was very disciplined [redacted]

[redacted] IVINS would regularly take vitamins and workout. He took good care of himself by eating healthy and being conscious of his teeth. He also played the guitar and wrote songs. [redacted] recalled that IVINS graduated high school with honors and received the TAFT AWARD. [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] worked with IVINS' father at the pharmacy they owned. [redacted]

[redacted] did not know where IVINS' father was educated and did not know of any of the IVINS family that would have lived in New Jersey. Both of IVINS' parents had high hopes for IVINS.

IVINS' father, RANDALL, was a "good ole intelligent guy". [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] did not think that IVINS could pass the physical for the military draft.

IVINS asked [redacted] but only on one occasion. IVINS and [redacted] got along very well.

[redacted]

[redacted] was able to locate [redacted] and noted the pages where IVINS was photographed. The pages [redacted] noted in the [redacted] yearbook were pages 31 (cross country), 36 (Choir), 48 (National Honor Society), 58 (Barclay

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in the senior play), 78 (Class photographer), 89, 97, 104, 110 and 123.

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[redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] SSN [redacted]
[redacted] home address [redacted] cell
[redacted] phone number [redacted] was interviewed telephonically at [redacted]
place of business, [redacted]
number [redacted] was previously interviewed on
05/09/2007. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the
interviewing agent and the purpose of the interview. [redacted]
provided the following information:

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] only knew of one person from [redacted] that
was a [redacted] heard from [redacted]
that [redacted] was a [redacted] may have had a
[redacted] picture was in the [redacted]
[redacted] did not know of anyone
that attended the [redacted] or any other
[redacted] advised to contact the [redacted] who
[redacted]

[redacted] may be able to locate an article in the local
newspaper in which it discussed the death of BRUCE IVINS [redacted]
said that [redacted]
the article in the paper. [redacted] will contact SA [redacted] if [redacted] is
able to locate the article.

[redacted] has not been in contact with IVINS since [redacted] last
interview with the FBI. [redacted]

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[redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] was interviewed at the FBI/Postal Inspection Service office located at [redacted]

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by Special Agent (SA) [redacted] Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Washington Field Office and Postal Inspector (PI) [redacted] Washington Division. [redacted] was represented by [redacted] telephone number [redacted]

[redacted] and cellular phone number [redacted] was previously interviewed by the FBI on several occasions regarding [redacted] work with *Bacillus anthracis* (Ba) [Anthrax] while being employed at the United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), [redacted] Porter Street, Fort Detrick, Maryland. [redacted] was interviewed a second time to discuss [redacted]

[redacted] Washington Field Office. [redacted] signed a Non-Disclosure Agreement which was placed in an FD-340 of the 1A subfile. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview. [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] recently returned from the [redacted] conference held in [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] was unable to provide a specific reason why [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] was concerned that as a result of [redacted]

[redacted] recalled that co-workers BRUCE IVINS made the

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statement to []

[] went into work to work on [] Many of [] work associates continue to talk about []

[] was also bothered by a [] experienced []

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[] IVINS did his own swabbings on the cold side. IVINS' reasoning for doing his own swabbings was a result of the workmanship of []

[] incident brought attention to USAMRIID and [] thought that [] regarding the FBI's investigation of USAMRIID for the mailings of the Anthrax letters.

[] was also nervous prior to the interview due to SA [] asking [] about [] [] thought that agents may be watching []

[] Regarding dry Anthrax work, [] said that people have asked about it, but USAMRIID only works with wet/liquid Anthrax. Dry work was discussed in Washington, DC during a conference with an audience of 400-500 persons, as mentioned to investigators in previous interviews. []

[] explained that some of the tests [] conducted at USAMRIID resulted in moving Anthrax strains from the hot side to the cold side, but the strains were attenuated or killed thus making them non-virulent. [] has never sent anything to anyone outside of [] organization or anyone else that [] should not have or would have violated USAMRIID rules/regulations.

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Other than the actual Anthrax letters that were analyzed by persons at USAMRIID, [] has never seen anybody work with dry Anthrax. [] added that other than a lyophilizer, the only way to dry material down would be to use a speed vacuum. [] felt that for large quantities, using the speed vacuum method would take a very long time.

[redacted] other than what investigators had already discussed and which [redacted] discussed with AUSA [redacted], during Grand Jury testimony. [redacted] observed IVINS with IVINS' flasks, but [redacted] never handled them [redacted]. Due to the large size of the walk in freezer at USAMRIID, [redacted] had [redacted] own area to store [redacted] spore preps and had no reason to look around where IVINS' spores were stored. During the various times they had to relocate between freezers, everyone's spores could have been bunched together, but [redacted] would not have touched IVINS' spores. [redacted] would routinely wear gloves when handling spore preparations and advised [redacted] fingerprints should not be on the flask.

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[redacted] did not collaborate with personnel from building [redacted]. [redacted] did not know [redacted] knew who [redacted] was, and has talked to [redacted] but never worked with [redacted]. [redacted] knows [redacted]. Neither [redacted] asked [redacted] to provide them with Anthrax or other materials.

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[redacted] explained a collaborative effort [redacted] was involved in with [redacted] met [redacted] in [redacted] or so later starting working together. [redacted]
thought that [redacted] works with the [redacted] Strain and is looking for [redacted]
[redacted] has [redacted] perform the same tests on (Ba). The
project was funded by the [redacted]
[redacted] and then later by the [redacted]
under the [redacted]
The work is not classified. [redacted] believes that [redacted] still has
[redacted] that [redacted] obtained prior to
working at USAMRIID. [redacted] remembered that USAMRIID had [redacted]
renew [redacted] did not think that the
collaborative effort would be good at being able to characterize
(Ba) in general. It would be very identifiable because the

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testing they were doing would knock out specific things making them stand out.

[] did not recall a specific time that [] asked [] about USAMRIID performing dry Anthrax work. [] always tells people that USAMRIID does not work with dried (Ba). [] did not remember any mention of "Weaponized Anthrax" with or anyone else.

[] provided that [] had always been concerned about []

[] could not think of any [] [] did not ask [] that made [] feel relieved that it was not asked. [] does not have any concerns regarding [] other than it upsetting [] because [] can not think of anyone who [] works with or that was in [] proximity that could have done the Anthrax attacks. [] wondered how someone could have dried wet (Ba). [] does not know how anyone could use the lyophilizer in the cold side without contaminating everyone. [] provided that the vaccination for (Ba) offers significant protection against it, but it is no guarantee. [] has expressed in front of a group of people that [] could have pulled this off because it was in the realm of []

[] prior to meeting with you guys today and there is nothing else I can think of."

Regarding the first interview with investigators on 12/21/2006, [] felt that the questions were not clear and that [] understood

that [] was questioned directly about co-workers' personal issues like excessive drinking, addictions, affairs and strange sexual behavior. []

[] during the first interview, [] felt that [] was trying to be helpful. [] stated that [] during

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that interview because investigators asked [] [] could not think of any additional information for agents. [] gave consent to search [] personal computer directly following the interview. [] provided that [] computer from prior to 2001 and until []

[] provided home phone number [] and cell number [] for [] [] provided a contact phone number for []

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[REDACTED] date of birth [REDACTED] social security
account number [REDACTED] home telephone number [REDACTED]
was interviewed at [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] After being advised of the identity of
the postal inspectors, the purpose of the interview and completing
a non-disclosure agreement, [REDACTED] provided the following
information:

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[REDACTED] attended [REDACTED] University from [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[redacted] did not know [redacted]

[redacted] knew BRUCE IVINS, an Anthrax researcher at Fort Detrick.

[redacted] was friendly with BRUCE IVINS until around [redacted] when IVINS [redacted]

[redacted] thought BRUCE IVINS to be indiscrete and to shoot his mouth off, the "ability to filter was gone with him. [redacted]"

[redacted] recalled BRUCE IVINS stating "if Frederick only knew what we worked with" and "if someone put enough on the head of a pin and took it into Safeway it would wipe out Frederick." [redacted] described BRUCE IVINS as "very, very different" and that IVINS "is the mad professor."

[redacted] stated BRUCE IVINS had no social circle stating "I've never met a friend of his." BRUCE IVINS attributed quotes to

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people instead of saying "I know this guy..." Additionally, when playing [redacted] with BRUCE IVINS, [redacted] remembered that he could not lose. If he did he would accuse the others of cheating.

[redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] understood that an aunt had left money for the education of the children.

[redacted] did not have any specific information pertaining to Chapel Hill, the University of Maryland, the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, nor any ritual books, stating that [redacted]
[redacted]

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12/08/2006

[redacted] On December 04, 2006, [redacted] SSAN [redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] place of employment, Reiman
Publications, 5400 S. 60th Street, Greendale, Wisconsin 53129,
telephone number [redacted] e-mail: [redacted]

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[redacted] is the [redacted]
After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and
the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following
information:

Because a significant amount of the information sought
through the course of the interview was digital and historical data
and handled by a number of individuals in separate departments at
Reiman Publications, [redacted] assembled a group of [redacted] and
three (3) other individuals to provide and gather the information:
[redacted]

[redacted] All four of the named
individuals were present during the initial interview.

Reiman Publications produces a number of different
magazines to include: Reminisce (REM), Reminisce Extra (REX), Quick
Cooking (QCK), Simple & Delicious, Light & Tasty (LNT), Cooking for
2, and Taste of Home (TOH). Reminisce Magazine is published for 2
months at a time (January/February, March/April, etc.) and in the
"off months" (February, April, etc.) Reminisce Extra is published.
Both magazines feature articles about the past, people's memories
and experiences, and old-time photographs.

During the 2001 time frame, Reiman Publications used
separate post office boxes to support different functions of the
company as well as the different magazines that Reiman Publications
prints. For example, P.O. Box 992 or 991 used to be the main
customer service return addresses used by Reiman Publications; P.O.
Box 990 was the return address for the Country Store, a retail
venue of Reiman Publications.

When asked about [redacted]
[redacted] as a return address (*Writer note - the name
of [redacted] was obtained through investigation by the U.S.
Postal Inspection Service), [redacted] was unfamiliar with [redacted]
name but thought it might be a "pseudo name". On occasion, pseudo
names were used instead of an editor's name if an article published
in the magazine or ad in the magazine was requesting correspondence
back from readers. [redacted]

[redacted] checked the name and [redacted] was never used as one of the
pseudo names for any of Reiman Publications' magazines; however,
after looking through subscriber information, [redacted] determined
that [redacted] was a recipient customer of Quick Cooking magazine and
received it as a gift subscription from [redacted]. The mailing
address provided for [redacted] on [redacted] gift order form was [redacted]
[redacted] According to the

subscription database that Reiman Publications maintains (Reiman List House), the first time the magazine was ordered was [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (order purchaser unknown) and last ordered [REDACTED] [REDACTED]. A copy of the [REDACTED] gift subscription order form was in the file for [REDACTED] and also listed gift subscriptions from BRUCE [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] provided a copy of the order form as well as a print-out from the database for the list of subscriptions for [REDACTED]

According to Reiman Publications CDS Subscription Inquiry System Recipient Summary data, [REDACTED] also purchased a subscription of Quick Cooking for [REDACTED] and for [REDACTED] telephone number [REDACTED]. In addition, [REDACTED] purchased a gift subscription of the Light & Tasty (LNT) magazine for [REDACTED] and a subscription of Reminisce magazine for [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] of Reiman Publications explained that on the data sheets provided that "Ms Status" refers to the magazine status: "C" is expired, "B" is cancelled, and "D" is a nonsubscribing donor - given as a gift to someone.

[REDACTED] was shown a copy of a list of search terms in efforts to prompt [REDACTED] recollection of specific published topics or submitted articles. Included on the list were the words/names: abortion, anthrax, anthracis, bacillus, Catholic, [REDACTED] corporal punishment, [REDACTED] Franklin Park, Greendale, [REDACTED] IVINS, KKG, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Lebanon, Monmouth, Monmouth Junction, Nassau Street, penicillin, pharmacy, Princeton, Right to Life, science, Senator Daschle, Senator Leahy, sorority, USAMRIID, 08823, 08824, and 4th grade. A copy of the list shown to [REDACTED] has been submitted to the 1A file for reference, 279A-WF-222936-1A 7317. According to [REDACTED] who has served as [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] the majority of Reminisce and Reminisce Extra magazine subscribers are quite conservative, although there is a segment of the readership that is very religious. Both magazines are compilations of readers' fond memories of their past. The magazines are not meant to be a newspaper or history book or to support any religious or political beliefs. Therefore, any articles featuring religious beliefs or political stances would not be published. There is no section of either magazine dedicated to religious articles. Reminisce/Reminisce Extra does receive unsolicited religious mail asking for help or support; however no record of the letters received are kept and the information is not published.

In November/December 2001, Reiman Publications did run an article in all of their magazines titled "We need your help...You'll help yourself, too!" discussing postage costs and soliciting readers to contact their congressmen regarding rising rates of the U.S. Postal Service. This is the only article [REDACTED] could recall referencing "Senators". The article was written by TOM CURL, Reiman Publications CEO.

[REDACTED] did not recall any specific articles submitted

regarding corporal punishment other than an occasional mention about as a child being taken out back, or that individuals think there should be more of the old time disciplinary actions taken in today's society. In terms of military articles, [redacted] suggested [redacted]

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[redacted] might have more information. According to [redacted] has a lot of old submitted articles in the file that have not been published. "As you were" is a column in the magazine that features military memories. Most of the stories, photographs, and letters submitted to Reminisce and Reminisce Extra and published are retained. [redacted] was not sure how long these submissions are kept but that [redacted] recalled them usually being "bundled" with an issue of the magazine the submission was published in.

Often times, Reminisce Magazine would solicit readers for memories, stories, and photographs pertaining to specific topics. These solicitations would run on pages throughout the magazine several months before the topic was actually printed/published; however, any responses to the solicitations were to be sent to 5927 Memory Lane, Greendale, Wisconsin, 53129. This address was actually a fictitious address but was known by the U.S. Postal Services as that for Reiman Publications. [redacted] provided a list of special solicitation topics from February, 1998 through November, 2006 for both Reminisce and Reminisce Extra Magazines. When an individual's story was actually printed in either Reminisce/Reminisce Extra magazines, Reiman personnel would attempt contact the individuals submitting the stories to advise them of the publication. Reiman Publications maintains a database of contributors of all published articles. This database lists the month(s) of the magazine and the names of contributors of articles for the magazine for that particular month. The database also lists the individuals' addresses and notes as to what they submitted and if they were sent any memento such as a letter, money or a trinket of some sort back from Reiman Publications for their contribution. Both Reminisce and Reminisce Extra Magazine contributor lists were provided from January 2000 through December 2006/January 2007.

Non-Disclosure forms were presented to [redacted]
[redacted] and voluntarily reviewed and signed in the presence of SA [redacted]. The original forms have been submitted to the case file, 279A-WF-222936-1A 7317. All documentation including data files have been submitted to the case file, 279A-WF-222936-1A GJ 1128.

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Individual, who is in a position to testify, provided the following information:

United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID) employee, BRUCE IVINS, spent this Thanksgiving holiday at his residence in Frederick, Maryland.

[redacted] came to visit during the holiday, and [redacted] and [redacted] as well as [redacted] also were in attendance. During this period, IVINS and [redacted] visited the National Air and Space Museum, as well as the Spy Museum in Washington, D.C. It was unknown if [redacted] accompanied him and [redacted] to Washington, D.C. However, IVINS, [redacted] purportedly took a long weekend and went to Bethany Beach in October 2006.

IVINS has generally been in a good mood at work. IVINS has not remarked or made any recent comments pertaining to the Federal Bureau of Investigation or its investigative efforts pursuant to the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001. [redacted]

IVINS that [redacted] believed there was a conspiracy at USAMRIID to frame IVINS as the perpetrator of the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001. [redacted] were involved in the conspiracy to frame IVINS. [redacted] theory centered around an alleged incident that occurred shortly after the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001. [redacted]

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[redacted] sample closely resembled the Bacillus anthracis powder recovered from the anthrax-laced letter mailed to Senator LEAHY in 2001. [redacted]

[redacted] IVINS did not remark or otherwise comment pertaining [redacted] conspiracy theory.

The [redacted] Division's annual Christmas Party will be held at Dutch's Daughter Restaurant, address: 581 Himes Avenue, Frederick, Maryland, on December 15, 2006. The festivities will start around lunch time and continue throughout the afternoon. Alcohol consumption has been a traditional staple at prior

[redacted] Division Christmas parties. IVINS is known to drink from time to time at these functions. Furthermore, IVINS and a group of young [redacted] Division technicians have been routinely going out drinking on Thursday evenings/nights after work. They have been frequenting the Community Activity Center on Fort Detrick, Maryland; however, that facility recently closed, and the current discussion pertains to possibly continuing their Thursday night activities at the 7th Street Shopping Plaza, Frederick, Maryland. There are two new restaurant/bar

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establishments located within the Shopping Plaza that may be suitable alternatives to the Community Activity Center.

IVINS has a notable fascination pertaining to sororities. IVINS frequently comments or remarks about sororities. IVINS's recent remarks or comments range from making up songs or jingles pertaining to sororities, or sorority girls, to picking on, or otherwise teasing, a female technician in the [redacted] Division about her prior sorority affiliation. IVINS is known to consistently tease co-workers that otherwise react to his comments. While IVINS will tease fellow co-workers that respond to his comments, those that do not are typically left alone.

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IVINS's office desk contains miscellaneous current and historical paperwork as IVINS's does not have a filing cabinet, nor is he known for keeping laboratory notes. It is likely that throughout the paperwork on his desk are papers derived from a USAMRIID photocopy machine. Prior to September 2001, in the back of USAMRIID building 1425, where the current security check-in window is, was a doorway which entered a room that contained multiple photocopying machines. Also it was known, prior to September 2001, that on the second floor, cold side, of USAMRIID building 1412 was a small room which contained a photocopying machine, as well as various paper cutters, and paper cutting tools. Although this room was typically used for preparation of manuscript prints by USAMRIID employees, it also offered a possible discreet location to a USAMRIID employee who wanted to use a USAMRIID photocopying machine.

Although in the past paper product was passed out of the B3 hot suite via the UV pass box, current standard operating procedures forbid such actions by B3 hot suite personnel. There is a facsimile machine in the B3 hot suite which enables B3 hot suite personnel to "pass" paperwork to out of the hot suite typically to the facsimile machine in the Bacteriology Division office. Furthermore, there is networked Dell computer in the B3 hot suite, "Model number (#): 9TPR811, MMCM: F2887," which also enables work product to electronically be transmitted out of the B3 hot suite. This computer is accessible to all B3 hot suite personnel.

IVINS work in the B3 hot suite can best be summarized as one who is very fast, efficient, and methodical due to his years of hot suite experience. IVINS's workspace in the B3 hot suite would look akin to his cluttered office desk [redacted]

[redacted]
IVINS has a tendency to create mathematical errors as recently demonstrated in an email he sent to Bacteriology Division co-workers. The email documented IVINS's results from a recent experiment and contained an obvious mathematical error. Individual opined perhaps it was his disorganized nature, with respect to his: office desk, work space, and residence, which contributed to his mathematical error.

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Individual, who is in a position to testify, provided the following information:

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United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID) employee, BRUCE IVINS. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Individual provided [REDACTED] to writer at 5:30 PM on March 06, 2007.

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Date of transcription 09/27/2007

[redacted] Date of Birth (DOB): [redacted]
Social Security Account Number (SSAN): [redacted] was interviewed at the United States District Courthouse, Washington, D.C., on the afternoon of September 19, 2007. Also present was Postal Inspector [redacted]. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Postal Inspector and Special Agent (SA) and the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

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(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 associated with this communication is a Non-disclosure Agreement Form that was provided to [redacted] for review and signature.)

[redacted] DOB: [redacted]
[redacted] works as a [redacted] for [redacted] at the United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), Fort Detrick, Maryland. [redacted] recalled a notable event that occurred at USAMRIID possibly on [redacted] in [redacted] arrived at USAMRIID circa [redacted] on [redacted] to conduct some time sensitive research pertaining to a study that [redacted] was conducting. [redacted] advised although [redacted] was not working for [redacted] had agreed to assist [redacted] in this study by coming in after [redacted] specifically at [redacted] indicated often did this for [redacted] because [redacted] At any rate, [redacted] was unable to enter the [redacted] in USAMRIID [redacted] and called [redacted] and at some point later in the night spoke with [redacted] as well. As an aside, [redacted] noted there were [redacted] in the USAMRIID parking lot when [redacted] arrived around [redacted]

The following day [redacted] spoke with [redacted] at USAMRIID. [redacted] told [redacted] had called [redacted] last night after [redacted] had spoken with [redacted] advised there was no talk from [redacted] that [redacted] indicated they should not talk about the search. [redacted] opined it was likely [redacted] told BRUCE IVINS and [redacted] about the search.

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[REDACTED] was specifically queried if [REDACTED] attended the [REDACTED] to which [REDACTED] responded in the affirmative.

[REDACTED] was specifically queried as to whether or not [REDACTED] to which [REDACTED] responded yes.

[REDACTED] was specifically queried if [REDACTED] told [REDACTED] about this search at [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] to which [REDACTED] responded in the affirmative.

[REDACTED] also recalled that IVINS suspected that [REDACTED] USAMRIID employee [REDACTED] was involved in the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001.

(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 associated with this communication are [REDACTED] facsimiles of [REDACTED] hot suite notebook pertaining to preparation and use of Ames spores provided to [REDACTED] from IVINS, as well as emails, and other supportive documentation pertaining to [REDACTED] hot suite activity during the period of time preceding the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001.)

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[redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] was interviewed on 09/06/2007, and documented in a separate FD-302. During the interview [redacted] was asked to locate emails from BRUCE IVINS, a scientist employed at United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID). [redacted] advised agents [redacted] would email agents copies of emails [redacted] maintained from IVINS. [redacted] received two emails with attachments from [redacted] on 09/07/2007 and 09/10/2007. The two emails were placed in an FD-340 of the 1A subfile. Below is a summary of the emails from [redacted]

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[redacted] stated that it was interesting speaking with agents yesterday (09/06/2007), and would appreciate receiving our business cards. [redacted] wrote "As I said, I can't imagine Bruce being involved in anything bad. He seemed to me to be a kind and compassionate person with a good sense of humor. His joke emails are always fun, PG and in good taste - not nasty or negative. He was considerate of his [redacted]

[redacted] As for the email you asked about, it is not unusual for scientists to send pix of their work to others, especially in the context of year end or family emails. From the description, I imagine it is a petrie dish, which can't be interpreted as anything but harmless scientist fun. Sorry I couldn't be of more help".

[redacted] then lists a few items spoken about during the interview that required follow up. Listed below is verbatim from the email contained on two pages:

1. Regarding the email of 11/14/01. I didn't save that email, but have an email dated 11/15/01 to Bruce, which says that I didn't get the pictures he sent. I've attached a word doc copy of it called 'Email_11_15_01'. So, I guess I never received the pix and don't have them on my computer. Couldn't find any files matching those names.

2. Regarding Bruce at UNC, I looked up his papers in PubMed (<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/sites/entrez?db=PubMed>) and found a 1978 article with [redacted] It listed UNC

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Bacteriology Dept. [redacted]

[redacted] He has several publication with [redacted] so I suspect that [redacted] was his boss.

3. Regarding when we began emailing, my current system only goes back to around [redacted]. My first email that I could find from Bruce was from [redacted] but I only have a few dated prior to that, so I suspect that we changed systems and were asked to delete older emails.

4. [redacted]

5. I don't have an email address for [redacted] on my computer, but when I Googled [redacted] I found a person with that name [redacted]

Let me know if there is anything else. Good luck. Take care,

[redacted] then attached [redacted] title, phone numbers etc. from [redacted] email address at work. The attachments [redacted] sent totaled five pages and contained various jokes and [redacted] reply to Bruce on 11/15/2001 advising that [redacted] would love to see his pix, but neither of his emails contained an attachment. [redacted] further explained that [redacted] used [redacted]

Email dated 09/10/07

[redacted] email was a reply from PI [redacted] ON 09/10/2007, [redacted] advised [redacted] would get [redacted] business card in the mail to [redacted] in the afternoon and that it was nice meeting [redacted] responded that it was nice meeting [redacted] also. [redacted] appreciated [redacted] willingness to explore answers and not just jump to conclusions. [redacted] also stated that [redacted] hoped the info [redacted] sent was useful.

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[redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] was interviewed by Special Agent (SA) [redacted] Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Washington Field Office and Postal Inspector (PI) [redacted] Washington Division, at [redacted]

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[redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview. [redacted] signed a Non-Disclosure Agreement, which was placed in an FD-340 of the 1A subfile, along with the original interview notes and a copy of an email that was shown to [redacted] during the interview.

[redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] attended [redacted]
[redacted] and graduated with a Degree [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] is employed as a [redacted] at [redacted]
located at [redacted]
[redacted] has worked for [redacted]
[redacted] was one of the first employees at [redacted]
employee number [redacted] conducts research on [redacted] for [redacted]
also [redacted]
conducts research on [redacted] Prior to working at [redacted]
[redacted] worked as a [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] does not have a security clearance and has not worked on classified programs.

[redacted] stated "I take it you are interested in Bruce Ivins." [redacted] thought the interview may have involved IVINS due to SA [redacted] working for the FBI and PI [redacted] working for the Postal Inspection Service. [redacted] knew that IVINS worked with Anthrax for the Army/ United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID) in Maryland. One of [redacted] co-workers suggested that since the agents were from [redacted]

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PI [redacted]

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Washington and IVINS worked with Anthrax, the interview could be regarding the Anthrax Mailings. [redacted] advised [redacted] researched SA [redacted] and PI [redacted] on the internet prior to the interview. [redacted] stated that did not find any information of SA [redacted] but was able to find an award presented to PI [redacted] provided that if agents were interviewing [redacted] regarding IVINS, they would be wasting their time because [redacted] did not remember much about him. IVINS did not discuss what he worked on at USAMRIID. He would only discuss information that he had published. Prior to the interview, [redacted] reviewed [redacted] old email messages from IVINS and others.

While at [redacted] did not have much interaction with [redacted]

[redacted] recalled that IVINS was in a different lab and therefore did not interact with him.

[redacted] grieving with IVINS after the attacks on 09/11/2001. [redacted] remembered discussing how tragic the attacks were. IVINS and others checked up on [redacted] due to [redacted]

[redacted] did not recall discussing the Anthrax mailings of 2001 with IVINS.

[redacted] and described [redacted] as very conservative. [redacted] did not interact with [redacted] did not know if IVINS was in a [redacted] advised that long hours in the lab did not afford [redacted] much free time and that socializing [redacted] did not happen. [redacted] did not recall any pranks or jokes played on [redacted] or anyone else.

[redacted] did not remember IVINS' [redacted] while [redacted] was shown an email from IVINS addressed [redacted] and others. [redacted] did not recall the email or that attached picture and advised it may have been one of the emails that IVINS sent [redacted] and was followed with an email telling [redacted] not to read his first email. [redacted] agreed to check [redacted] computer for the email shown, as [redacted] maintained many of [redacted]

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emails. [redacted] thought that [redacted] received a picture from IVINS of him and his family.

[redacted] receives email messages from IVINS about one to four times per month. [redacted] said the emails contained jokes.

[redacted] would typically read the email and provide a very short response. [redacted] sends IVINS and other scientists annual holiday cards. [redacted] thought of IVINS as an acquaintance.

[redacted] has friends and colleagues located in many places including [redacted] (phonetic) at the [redacted]

[redacted] could not remember the name of another Scientist at USAMRIID that worked on [redacted] has

physically met with IVINS approximately [redacted] in the past [redacted]
[redacted] The last time [redacted] remembered meeting IVINS was at an [redacted] meeting at [redacted]

[redacted] did not recall when IVINS first started contacting [redacted] but thought it may have been at a seminar.

[redacted] described IVINS as being very nice, generous and sensitive. [redacted] recalled IVINS identifying [redacted] as a "well known scientist" while IVINS was showing a [redacted]

[redacted] also recalled IVINS talking about [redacted]

Regarding the other addressee's on the email, [redacted] only recognized the name of [redacted]

[redacted] Within the past

[redacted] retired from [redacted]

[redacted] added that IVINS was a "straight shooter" and could not think that IVINS would do anything bad. [redacted] has discussed research funding issues/gripes with IVINS. [redacted] did not recall IVINS' having any particular gripe, only the standard scientist type. [redacted] thought that IVINS did important work that helped the country. [redacted] thought that if IVINS made a list of persons that would be good character references for him, [redacted] would not be on the list due to [redacted] brief knowledge of him.

The following information was obtained through observation or interview:

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Name:

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Home Address:

Home Phone number:

Work Address:

Work Phone Number:

Work Email address:

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Date of transcription 10/09/2007

(SSAN) : [redacted] Social Security Account Number [redacted] was interviewed on the afternoon of October 04, 2007, at [redacted] located on Fort Detrick, Maryland. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Special Agent (SA) and the nature of the interview [redacted] provided the following information:

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(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 associated with this communication is a Non-disclosure Agreement Form [redacted] reviewed and voluntarily signed.)

[redacted] advised [redacted] was a [redacted] employee with [redacted] who currently held a [redacted] although previous [redacted] at Fort Detrick had required [redacted] to possess a [redacted] indicated [redacted] was comfortable operating in a need to know environment. [redacted] works in Building [redacted] on Fort Detrick, Maryland.

[redacted] current residence located at [redacted] advised [redacted] was no longer in contact with any past or current residents at [redacted] residences. [redacted] specifically was queried pertaining to former residence at [redacted] to which [redacted] affirmed [redacted] lived there approximately [redacted] advised [redacted] was not knowledgeable of the current resident(s) at that address; however, further advised [redacted] had [redacted]

[redacted] knew the IVINS in passing as each [redacted] in Frederick, Maryland, prior to the [redacted] However, [redacted] further advised neither [redacted] since moving, and furthermore, neither [redacted] maintain any contact with anyone at [redacted]

[redacted] explained [redacted]
[redacted] the man (IVINS) wore clothes from the seventies and rode his bike to work on base. [redacted] further recalled the IVINS [redacted] (1)

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were living at another residence on [redacted] prior to them moving into the [redacted]

[redacted] reiterated [redacted] understood the terms specified on the Non-disclosure Agreement Form and that [redacted] was not to discuss the specifics of our conversation nor to speculate on the meaning of the interview with anyone. [redacted] was specifically queried as to whether or not [redacted] could recall the floor plans of [redacted] to which [redacted] replied, "yes."

(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 associated with this communication is a four page facsimile pertaining to the floor plans of the [redacted] provided to the interviewing SA on the morning of October 05, 2007.)

(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 associated with this communication are the original four page documents pertaining to the above mentioned facsimile that [redacted] provided personally to writer later in the morning of October 05, 2007, at Fort Detrick, Maryland.)

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security number [redacted] residing at [redacted]
[redacted] home telephone number
[redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] residence. Accompanying
[redacted]
date of birth [redacted] social security number [redacted]
residing at [redacted]
home telephone number [redacted] Also present was [redacted]
of birth [redacted] social security number [redacted] date
residing at [redacted]
home telephone number [redacted] After being advised of the
identity of the postal inspectors, the purpose of the interview and
completing non-disclosure agreements, [redacted] provided the following
information:

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[redacted] and is employed by the [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] had no contact with any [redacted] although [redacted] did see the newspaper columns written by [redacted] IVINS.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] did not know anyone with the following name or surnames:

member of [redacted] remembered a [redacted] who had been a

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with any [redacted] stated that [redacted] "never had any contact
in Ohio or North Carolina."

(Interview notes and original non-disclosure agreements
are contained in the attached 1A)

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security number [redacted] residing at [redacted]
[redacted] home telephone number [redacted]
[redacted] cellular telephone number [redacted] was interviewed
at the [redacted]
[redacted] Accompanying [redacted]
[redacted] social security number [redacted]
residing at [redacted] After
being advised of the identity of the postal inspectors, the purpose
of the interview and completing a non-disclosure agreement, [redacted]
provided the following information:

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[redacted] became an [redacted]
[redacted] in [redacted] stated that
[redacted] had met [redacted] while they were residing in the [redacted]
Sometime after meeting the family [redacted] was
introduced to [redacted] who had recently graduated from
the [redacted]

[redacted] provided the following information
regarding the family tree of [redacted] 12

[redacted]

[redacted] was born in [redacted] and
grew up in [redacted]

[redacted]

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by [redacted] US Postal Inspector [redacted], US Postal Inspector [redacted]

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[redacted]
as it had been owned by the [redacted] during early American history.

[redacted] has not met any other individuals named [redacted]

[redacted] does not know and had never heard of anyone named BRUCE IVINS, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted] did not live in the [redacted] area during the 2001-2002 time frame.

[redacted] provided that around the time of the anthrax mailings, [redacted]
[redacted]

(The interview notes and non-disclosure agreements are included in the accompanying 1A)

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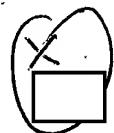
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Date of transcription 10/11/2007

[redacted] date of birth: [redacted] social security account number: [redacted] work telephone number: [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] place of employment, the United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), [redacted] Porter Street, Frederick, Maryland. After being advised of the identity of the agents and the purpose of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

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[redacted] was interviewed by AUSA [redacted] prior to [redacted] Federal Grand Jury appearance, during which [redacted] was asked to review [redacted] records pertaining to two studies [redacted] conducted using *Bacillus anthracis* (Ba) spores obtained from BRUCE IVINS. In a previous interview regarding these two studies (279A-WF-222936-USAMRIID Serial 1472) [redacted] stated that any Ba spores not consumed during the aerosol exposures would have been destroyed. During this records review [redacted] discovered that [redacted] did receive a tube of unused spore stock from the aerobiology technicians after a exposure for study number [redacted] aliquoted this sample into 25 300ul tubes and froze the aliquots. All of the samples produced during this study were coded and stored in [redacted] laboratory [redacted] for future use as unknown samples in assay development. Therefore, only [redacted] knew that these samples were Ba Ames spores. [redacted] provided a copy of the "Spore Preparation Form" which IVINS completed when the spore suspension was prepared and provided to the aerobiology group prior to the exposure. This spore preparation form indicates that the spores used in this study were "B. anthracis Ames, RMR 1029, in 1% phenol."



[redacted] provided agents copies of all documents [redacted] could find regarding these two studies, i.e. [redacted] which will be placed into the 1A section of the file. Among the documents provided are for the [redacted] study are: An e-mail dated [redacted] from IVINS indicating the concentration of the spores provided on this date as 1.14×10^7 CFU/ml, and the AGI values for the [redacted]. A copy of IVINS' notebook page 43 dated [redacted] showing the AGI plate counts; A copy of IVINS' notebook page 48 dated [redacted] showing the use of "GLP Ames spores" with a concentration of 3×10^{10} CFU/ml for [redacted] and Ames spore [redacted]. Among the documents provided are for the [redacted] study are: A copy of a "Spore preparation form" dated [redacted] showing IVINS provided [redacted] with RMR-1029 spores for this

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exposure; A copy of a sample worksheet showing [redacted] aliquoted the "(extra - not used) - Ames spores) from the [redacted] exposure into 25 vials of 300ul each; copies of [redacted] spreadsheet showing the 25 vials of "Spore prep - starting material" with a concentration of 5.68×10^7 CFU/ml [which is the same as the concentration listed on the spore preparation form]; A copy of a "Spore preparation form" dated [redacted] showing IVINS provided [redacted] with RMR-1029 spores for this exposure; and copies of [redacted] spreadsheet showing that AGI samples from the [redacted] exposures are maintained.

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[redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] SSN [redacted]

[redacted] home address [redacted] was telephonically interviewed. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and the purpose of the interview. [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] contacted writer to advise that [redacted] During [redacted] [redacted] offered to assist the FBI in researching the local newspaper for an article related to BRUCE IVINS. [redacted] provided that [redacted] already searched for the article for [redacted]

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[redacted] Date of Birth [redacted] SSN [redacted]
[redacted] home address [redacted] was
telephonically interviewed. [redacted] was advised of the identity
of the interviewing agent and the purpose of the interview.
[redacted] provided the following information:

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[redacted] contacted writer on 08/28/2007, to advise that [redacted]
During [redacted] offered to assist the FBI in
researching the local newspaper for an article related to BRUCE
IVINS. [redacted] provided that [redacted] already searched for the article
for [redacted].

[redacted] [redacted] was contacted by writer on 08/29/2007 to advise
that [redacted] assistance, while very generous, would not be needed.

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Date of transcription 11/08/2007

On November 8, 2007, [redacted] SSAN [redacted]
 [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted]. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing investigators, [redacted] reviewed and signed a Non-Disclosure Agreement. [redacted] was then advised of the nature of the interview, and provided the following information:

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[redacted] worked at the U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID) from [redacted]

While at USAMRIID, [redacted] was assigned to the [redacted] Division. [redacted] office was originally located in Building [redacted] but later moved to [redacted] when [redacted] became [redacted]. [redacted] served as [redacted] from [redacted] then transferred to [redacted] Division. [redacted] worked primarily with [redacted] and continued to work with [redacted] Division once assigned to [redacted].

[redacted] did not like [redacted] and stated [redacted] is the one who [redacted] of USAMRIID. Although [redacted] and described [redacted] as very [redacted] also described [redacted] as very intelligent and hard working. When asked about [redacted] ability to have mailed the letters containing powdered anthrax in 2001, [redacted] stated that as much as [redacted] disliked [redacted] did not think [redacted] could have mailed the letters because [redacted] did not work with anthrax.

[redacted] recalled walking into [redacted] on an unrelated matter shortly after [redacted] at USAMRIID and [redacted]. [redacted] stated the anthrax in the letters was "a pure spore prep" [redacted] appeared shocked at the quality of the powder. [redacted] appeared scared by the purity of the powder and by how well the powder was made. [redacted] further described them as scared at the level of expertise required to make such a powder and that someone would go to that level as to make the powder and then mail it. It was [redacted] understanding that the powder was

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[redacted] recalled that [redacted]

[redacted] commented that any vaccine could be overwhelmed under the right circumstances, such as overwhelming a vaccine with disease initiating spores or tissues.

In contrast to [redacted] had always worked with anthrax, but according to [redacted] could be [redacted] in the lab. Other researchers would find experiments [redacted] As an example, [redacted] described a time [redacted]

When [redacted] first arrived at USAMRIID in [redacted] was aware that USAMRIID had taken "big hits" after the Gulf War, but that no one at USAMRIID was concerned about the funding or direction of their research. [redacted] commented, however, that getting money for research in science is part of the job, even in the military. At the time of the 2001 anthrax attacks, the focus at USAMRIID was on Glanders research. In 2004, when [redacted] came along everyone could see it would bring a lot of money into the facility.

At one time, [redacted] told [redacted] no one at USAMRIID had the ability to dry anthrax. [redacted] was not aware that it could be done, but [redacted] learned later from newspapers that the [redacted] Division had learned how.

According to [redacted] everyone at USAMRIID worked unusual hours, so [redacted] would not notice if someone came in after hours. [redacted] group, for example, did not "punch a clock" but were judged on what they did. One reason for someone to go to work after normal business hours would be during the course of a study to give shots to animals in the study - shots were given at 6pm and 12am, and this process could take an hour or two..

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[redacted] is troubled by the anthrax mailings and "cannot figure out who would have the nerve" to commit the crime. [redacted] commented that the mailer would have to have a lot of trust in their containment or faith in the vaccine to think they would not infect themselves. [redacted] believes there was a lot of risk in the chosen method of delivery (placing the anthrax-laden envelopes in the U.S. mail system) and thought maybe the person or persons who dropped the envelopes in the collection box did not know what they were mailing, implying more than one person had to be involved. Whoever made the anthrax and put the letters together would have known that mailing the letters would be dangerous.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] "flat out did not trust" [redacted] but [redacted] does not believe [redacted] was involved in the mailings.

[redacted] described [redacted] although [redacted] said [redacted] would describe [redacted] as [redacted] did not hold any extreme views.

[redacted] remembered [redacted] working at USAMRIID. [redacted] would have [redacted] if [redacted] had and issue with you and did not think [redacted] would have mailed the anthrax letters. Although [redacted] was more [redacted] did not touch anyone. [redacted] and [redacted] did not get along. According to [redacted] did not handle the situation with [redacted] well, and never talked to [redacted] but only heard one side of the problems allegedly involving [redacted] claims to have [redacted]

[redacted] did not work directly with BRUCE IVINS, whom [redacted] described as eccentric, but a "real good" scientist. IVINS was a very disciplined scientist who was very strict about how things are conducted in the suites and is very good at what he does. [redacted] commented that IVINS was the person who had caused problems when he determined there was contamination in the Bacteriology Division. [redacted] explained that IVINS just wanted to know what was going on and did not understand the ramifications of his actions.

IVINS did good work [redacted] but did not like the way he was spoken to by [redacted] did not seem to have issues with IVINS because IVINS did good work.

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[redacted] still sees IVINS at [redacted] at Fort Detrick.

[redacted] stated that IVINS is a musician and regularly writes his own songs. IVINS would write songs about people, for example, when they would leave USAMRIID. IVINS also writes music and plays keyboard in a band that performs around the Frederick area.

[redacted] has a long list of people who are least likely to have mailed anthrax in 2001, but [redacted] specifically named [redacted] and IVINS. [redacted] commented that IVINS "had whole notebooks copied" as part of the investigation.

[redacted] is convinced "the Russians" are behind the 2001 anthrax attacks. [redacted] is familiar with their capabilities to produce and weaponize anthrax. In [redacted] opinion, there is no one in the U.S. with the kind of experience necessary to commit the crime. [redacted] believes the mailer would have prior experience with handling anthrax powder and would not be stupid enough to mail the letters without some kind of experience.

[redacted] believes the powder could have been created at DUGWAY PROVING GROUND (DPG) by [redacted] remembers being astounded to hear that DPG had set up a lab with a centrifuge, because of the implication of conducting research on offensive uses of anthrax or other pathogens. [redacted] explained [redacted] was surprised because such equipment could never be set up at USAMRIID, due to the high levels of scrutiny and restrictions USAMRIID faces regarding its research.

[redacted] was asked about possible missing samples or agents from USAMRIID. During [redacted] employment at USAMRIID, [redacted] does not remember it being hard to get into the select agent storage freezers. [redacted] stated it would have been so easy to take a sample of anthrax out of USAMRIID prior to the 2001 anthrax attacks. Additionally, [redacted] remembers a researcher named [redacted]

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[redacted] stated that in 2001, although it was not known what may be possible in the future in terms of identifying the DNA of specific strains of anthrax, researchers knew that genetic sequencing would be possible in the near future.

[redacted] stated that recently some USAMRIID personnel, to include [redacted] had asked [redacted] at USAMRIID. When [redacted] worked at USAMRIID prior to [redacted] had worked with researcher [redacted] on research involving [redacted] and noticed [redacted]. For example, [redacted] described a time when [redacted]

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[redacted] When word of [redacted] possible [redacted] began to circulate, someone came forward to the command and declared they [redacted] if [redacted] to USAMRIID. [redacted]

[redacted]
Individuals at USAMRIID who had supported [redacted] such as [redacted] are now scared to talk about the situation. When [redacted] pressed [redacted] for information, [redacted] asked "Do you want me to lose my job?" [redacted] at USAMRIID.

The Non-Disclosure Agreement signed by [redacted] is enclosed in a 1A envelope with the original notes from this interview.

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On December 6, 2007 [redacted] DOB [redacted]
 SSAN [redacted] was interviewed at the [redacted]

[redacted] After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] executed a Non-Disclosure Agreement with the agents and was reminded [redacted] had previously signed 2 Non-Disclosure Agreements. [redacted] acknowledged having signed the previous agreements and understood their meaning. [redacted] advised that BRUCE EDWARDS IVINS had [redacted]
 [redacted]

[redacted] expressed frustration and anger with [redacted]

[redacted] stated that while IVINS is totally weird, [redacted] did not want to believe he was the mailer.

Investigators described a number of instances where IVINS had provided misinformation to the FBI. Included in the discussion was the circumstances surrounding the submission of a false sample of *Bacillus anthracis* [anthrax] by IVINS to the FBI. [redacted] said that IVINS is "excellent" in the lab and that the submission of something other than the actual sample by IVINS "sounded suspicious and fishy".

Investigators informed [redacted] that throughout the investigation, IVINS had been supplying the FBI with theories and information as to possible suspects for the anthrax letter attacks. Most recently he had developed a theory that focused on [redacted] [redacted] as suspects. The theory contains several points in which IVINS describes a conspiracy between [redacted] [redacted] motivated by revenge on IVINS. It included personal and professional information regarding [redacted] that IVINS developed into a workable theory for the crime.

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said [redacted] does not know why [redacted] are on the suspect list of IVINS. [redacted] recognized this was [redacted] but was at a loss for a reason. [redacted] theorized that IVINS was putting [redacted] up as an alternative suspect.

Investigators discussed with [redacted] why IVINS would name [redacted] as the perpetrators of the anthrax mailings. It was explained that IVINS had also identified numerous other individuals as possibly the anthrax mailer, including several co-workers at USAMRIID.

Investigators discussed with [redacted] three possible motives IVINS could have had for the mailings. The motives were characterized as an ideological belief in the Right To Life (RTL) movement, a career validation interest based on the success of the Anthrax Vaccine Program, and lastly, a personal motive focused on [redacted]

[redacted] commented that the first 2 motives described above did not seem believable to [redacted] agreed with the third motive, however, saying that IVINS would do anything to [redacted] said maybe that is what happened; all his actions had been planned.

[redacted] was asked whether [redacted] was aware of IVINS' long term interest in blindfolding. [redacted]

[redacted] was unaware of the extent of IVINS' interest in blindfolding, the duration of that interest, and any internet activities related to blindfolding.

[redacted] agreed to [redacted]

[redacted] was asked to read a draft Behavioral Analysis prepared by the FBI's Behavioral Analysis Unit. [redacted] commented that the analysis "sounded like Bruce". Further, [redacted] said that [redacted] IVINS had a "criminal mind". [redacted] elaborate schemes and plans IVINS would put together.

[redacted] was shown photographs of the NEW YORK POST, BROKAW, DASCHLE, and LEAHY envelopes and notes. [redacted] was asked to evaluate the images given [redacted] knowledge of IVINS and the fact he had frequently mailed [redacted] letters and packages in the past. [redacted] passed [redacted] hand left to right over the address of the DASCHLE letter following the downward slant and stated that IVINS' letters sloped in this fashion. He also wrote in block lettering at times.

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[redacted] the use of short sentences and the "squareness" of the passages in the notes was similar to IVINS' writings but the "poetry" used in the notes was not consistent with what he typically sent. He used a great deal of rhyme in his poems. [redacted] IVINS frequently wrote joke poems in which he tried to disguise his writing by printing in block letters and using words cut out of a magazine.

[redacted] explained that IVINS liked to used symbolism in his mailings to [redacted] described as obvious. [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] was asked to consider the return addresses and target of the anthrax mailings given IVINS' use of symbolism [redacted] said [redacted] believed it was possible there was a message in the mailings but that [redacted] could not see it. [redacted] trip [redacted] took to PRINCETON UNIVERSITY in high school, [redacted] could not think of anything in [redacted] life that related to the mailings.

[redacted] believed that if IVINS was the anthrax mailer he would have kept the original notes. [redacted] said IVINS was a squirrely guy and that he would not kept the notes at his home. [redacted] was too snoopy and looking at his things. [redacted] could not identify another location where IVINS would have kept the notes.

[redacted] was shown a detailed set of directions from Frederick, Maryland to [redacted] which had been obtained from IVINS. [redacted] explained IVINS had [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] and informed [redacted] of the recent search of the IVINS' home and family interviews. [redacted] informed IVINS that it was a family holiday and he was not welcome.

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[redacted] agreed to provide to investigators [redacted]
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[redacted] stated that [redacted] had issues with IVINS that
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[redacted]
[redacted] said [redacted] did not know much about [redacted]
except that there appeared to be tension between [redacted] and IVINS.

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Date of transcription 12/31/2007

On December 20, 2007, [redacted] SSAN [redacted]
[redacted] DOB [redacted]
[redacted] home telephone number [redacted] cellular telephone
number [redacted] work telephone number [redacted] was
interviewed at the Postal Inspection Service Carseen Morris 900
Brentwood Road NE Washington D.C. After being advised of the
purpose of the interview and the identity of the interviewing
agents, [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] contacted Postal Inspector [redacted]
regarding an November 30, 2006, email [redacted] received from [redacted]

[redacted] The entire text of the email titled [redacted]

[redacted] is as follows:

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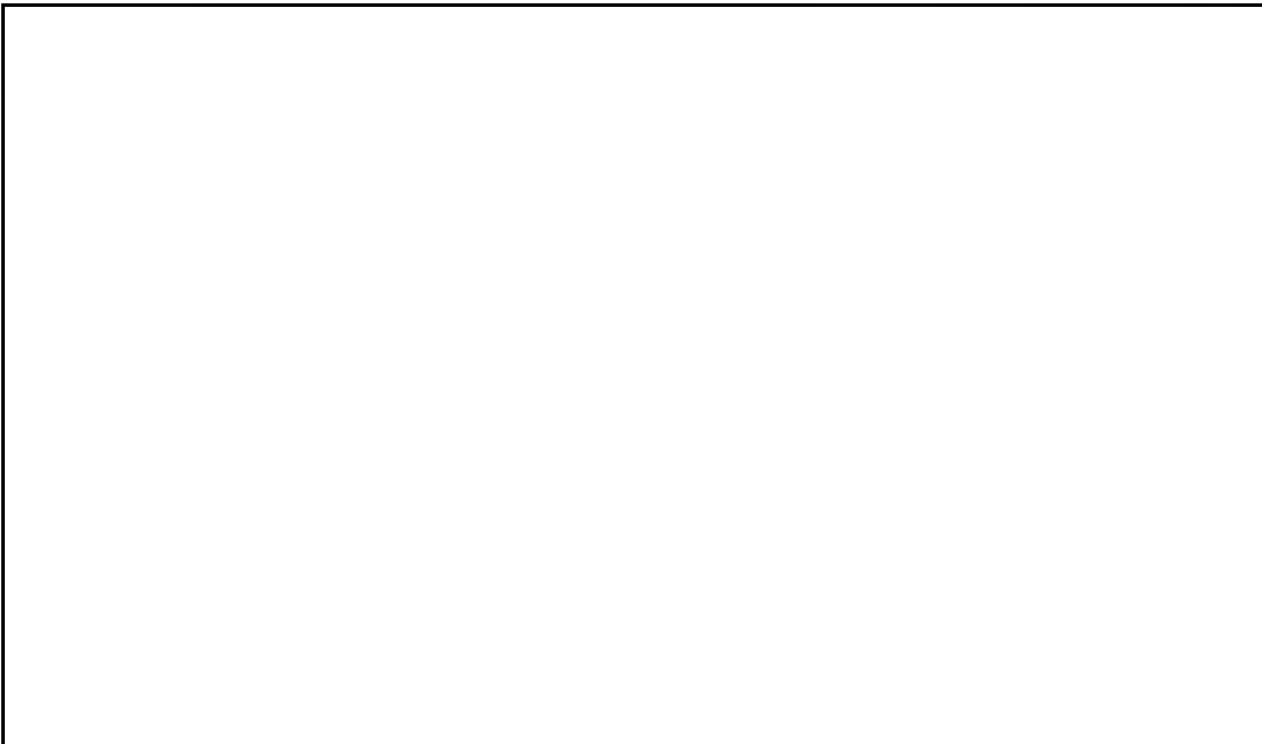
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[redacted] provided the following background information on people mentioned in the email.

[redacted] received [redacted]
[redacted] described [redacted]
[redacted] was
[redacted] at the United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID) at Fort Detrick, Maryland, [redacted] After leaving USAMRIID, [redacted] worked at [redacted]
[redacted]

to [redacted] had a [redacted] reputation, which [redacted] attributes to [redacted] was known to have a [redacted]
[redacted]

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[redacted] was present at USAMRIID during the period surrounding [redacted]

[REDACTED] stated that the email from [REDACTED] caused [REDACTED] to recall an [REDACTED]

[redacted] was an [redacted] while at USAMRIID who was [redacted] and continued to work at USAMRIID [redacted]

[redacted] stated the [redacted] have talked on the telephone and met once for a "chat." The meeting occurred in 2003 or 2004 at a Panera Bread restaurant. During this meeting, [redacted] told [redacted] that [redacted] suspected two people in the 2001 Anthrax attacks-[redacted]

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[redacted] at USAMRIID with [redacted] in [redacted]
[redacted] was working as a [redacted]
believes that [redacted] is crazy.

[redacted] was asked about [redacted] interactions with the
USAMRIID Bacteriology department. [redacted] stated that [redacted] knew
BRUCE IVINS [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] did not socialize with IVINS although interacted
with him [redacted]
This occurred after [redacted] left USAMRIID due to
a [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] remembered [redacted] and described [redacted]
as a "powerful [redacted]" and a "big shot in Anthrax", but thinks that
[redacted] was "bigger" than [redacted] stated that
[redacted] was [redacted] and
that anthrax research was the most important research conducted
at USAMRIID.

[redacted] was not well liked, [redacted]
[redacted] stated that IVINS [redacted] have known
each other for [redacted]

[redacted] stated that [redacted] did not know [redacted]
personally, but remembers that [redacted] was "hated",
[redacted] worked for [redacted]
[redacted] came to USAMRIID
from the [redacted]

[redacted] is still in
contact with [redacted]

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[redacted] does not remember [redacted]
[redacted] although [redacted] does remember a [redacted] and
thinks it may have been [redacted]

[redacted] remembers a [redacted] but does not
believe it was [redacted]

[redacted] remembers a [redacted] (spelling
unknown) at USAMRIID after [redacted] left.

[redacted] never met [redacted] who is [redacted]
[redacted] describes [redacted] as a bad person with "no humanity."

[redacted] stated that [redacted] (FNU) knew a lot of
information which could be used against people. [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] claims that the FBI is monitoring [redacted] telephones
and aware of everything [redacted] does. [redacted] has had no experiences
or evidence of this surveillance but remains adamant that these
activities are occurring.

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Date of transcription 01/15/2008

On January 14, 2008, [redacted] aka [redacted]
[redacted] DOB [redacted] SSN [redacted]
[redacted] work telephone number [redacted] home telephone
number [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] residence [redacted]
[redacted] was advised of the identity
of the Special Agents (SA's) and the nature of the interview.
[redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] attended the [redacted]
[redacted] from [redacted] was in no way affiliated with any
sorority or fraternity, [redacted] was a [redacted] and didn't go near a
[redacted] had no knowledge of Kappa Kappa Gamma nor did [redacted]
have any knowledge of a ritual book being stolen. [redacted] did not know
anyone at the university with the name of [redacted]. When [redacted] was
asked if [redacted] knew a BRUCE EDWARD IVINS, [redacted] recalled a friend of a
friend named BRUCE last name unknown (LNU). He was a [redacted]
however that is the only BRUCE [redacted] knew.

Prior to being interviewed, [redacted] signed a Non-Disclosure Agreement, which is maintained along with all interview notes in a 1A envelope.

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Date of transcription 01/17/2008

[redacted] Date of Birth (DOB) : [redacted]
Social Security Account Number (SSAN) : [redacted] was contacted
telephonically at [redacted] place of employment [redacted]
[redacted] work telephone: [redacted] on the afternoon of
January 16, 2008. After being advised of the identity of the
interviewing Special Agent (SA) and the nature of the interview,
[redacted] provided the following information:

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[redacted] recalled that in [redacted] conducted research
for [redacted] at the United States Army Medical Research
Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), Fort Detrick,
Maryland. [redacted] indicated this was the result of a collaborative
research agreement between [redacted] BRUCE IVINS and
USAMRIID.

[redacted] recalled [redacted] were always [redacted]
[redacted] at USAMRIID by BRUCE IVINS [redacted] could
not recall the source of the spores that IVINS had provided;
however, indicated [redacted] would examine [redacted] records in an attempt to
locate any additional information or paper work. [redacted] indicated
[redacted] IVINS showered out of the hot suite [redacted]
during these [redacted] did not observe [redacted]
removing anything from the hot suite. [redacted] further advised [redacted]
never took anything out of the hot suite either. [redacted] reiterated because [redacted] it
would be difficult to take something out of the hot suite.

[redacted]

[redacted] no longer worked for [redacted] and
[redacted] was unsure if [redacted] was still at the [redacted]
[redacted] suggested the interviewing SA speak to [redacted]
concerning [redacted]

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[redacted] indicated [redacted] traveled to [redacted]
[redacted] also pursuant to the research pertaining to [redacted]
[redacted] recalled [redacted] did not travel to [redacted]

As an aside, [redacted] indicated that [redacted] also was out at
[redacted] after September 11, 2001, however,
[redacted]

[redacted] indicated [redacted] would be in the [redacted]
[redacted] and would contact the interviewing
SA prior to [redacted]

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[redacted] was interviewed outside [redacted]
 a local restaurant in close proximity to [redacted] residence at [redacted]
 [redacted] by Special Agent (SA) [redacted] Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Washington Field Office and Postal Inspector (PI) [redacted]
 [redacted] Washington Division. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview. During the interview [redacted] was shown a picture, which was placed in an FD-340 of the 1A subfile. [redacted] read and signed a Non-Disclosure agreement which was placed in an FD-340 of the 1A subfile. [redacted] provided the following information:

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[redacted] earned [redacted] Degree in [redacted]
 [redacted] for the University [redacted] in [redacted]
 [redacted] began employment at the United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), 1425 Porter Street, Fort Detrick, Maryland, in [redacted]
 [redacted] worked for the [redacted]
 formerly [redacted] moved to [redacted]
 [redacted] official position is [redacted]

[redacted] works as a [redacted] at USAMRIID. [redacted]
 [redacted] work for [redacted] and assist [redacted]
 in [redacted] daily duties. As part of [redacted] duties,
 [redacted] duties also included [redacted]
 [redacted] on the "cold side" of the laboratory. On the "hot side" of the laboratory [redacted] worked with small amounts of spores. [redacted]

[redacted]
 [redacted] worked with [redacted]
 [redacted] also worked with [redacted]
 [redacted] worked in [redacted]
 [redacted] group that included [redacted]
 [redacted]
 formally worked for [redacted] group that included [redacted]

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thought that was not as good as when it came to experience with Ba. DR. BRUCE IVINS was good with Ba questions and publications. IVINS was known to make large Ba spore preparations. IVINS was recently conducting an in-house study for Aerosolization testing using large volumes of spores. The preparation included using a centrifuge.

considered to be a large batch. utilized the Ba within a three week period, otherwise for testing the Ba would be too old. was interested in looking at the difference on the

Regarding discussions at work of the FBI investigation into the Anthrax Mailings of 2001, recalled hearing people discuss in the time frame, Apparently the talk regarding caused employees at USAMRIID a lot of anxiety. thought or heard that maybe dried some of the spores. The only other name associated with drying Ba was who lived in USAMRIID.

approximately 2004/2005, persons at the party were having their pictures taken with FBI Director ROBERT MUELLER. a picture or poster of MUELLER hung on the wall and people having their pictures taken next to it.

The party was dubbed the Alibi party because people were able to document where they were at the time of the party.

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[redacted] thought that [redacted] was important to the FBI investigation because the Anthrax attack letters were known to be mailed at that time. [redacted] heard the FBI was after the Ames strain and was focused on IVINS. It was rumored that someone at another institute took highly purified Ba and used it for the mailings. [redacted] thought that [redacted] was the most likely person. [redacted] name was discussed at times.

IVINS told [redacted] a story about First Name Unknown (FNU) who assaulted IVINS by putting him in a headlock. [redacted] recalled [redacted] mention the state of New Jersey regarding the FBI investigation, but could not provide any other details. [redacted] was involved in [redacted]

[redacted] did not get along well with [redacted]
[redacted] described [redacted] as [redacted] and had frequent "run-ins" with [redacted] saved emails with [redacted]
[redacted]
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got [redacted] to perform experiments that [redacted] did not want to perform or were not under a specific contract.
[redacted]

[redacted] explained that the picture agents showed [redacted] that clearly displayed [redacted]

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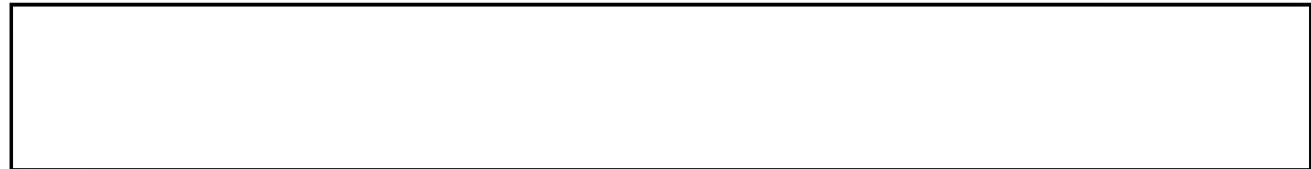
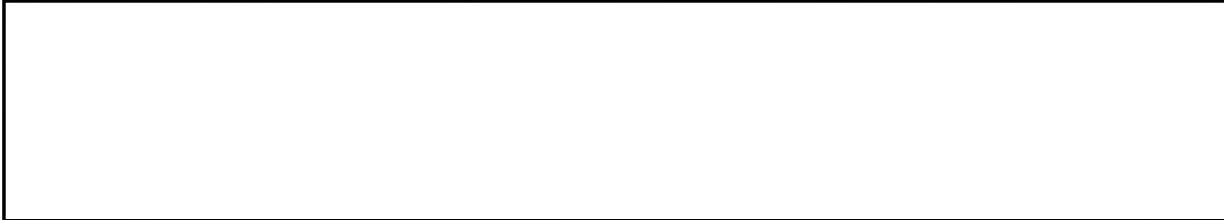
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The "big joke" in the office was IVINS, because FBI agents were always seen talking to him. BRUCE IVINS appeared to be in trouble a lot. IVINS was under an incredible amount of stress. Some people commented that IVINS looked very tired. [] thought IVINS was "nutty" and a little off the wall.

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(S) [] did not feel close to IVINS. IVINS knew that [] b1
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(S) [] IVINS joked with [] due to [] considered IVINS' comments as [] ignorance.

[] said that nobody was mad at the FBI, but heard that [] b6
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[] video cameras were installed in the "hot suites" [] thought that an air of paranoia existed at USAMRIID. [] recalled that after [] was involved in the [] implemented at USAMRIID. The video cameras installed in the "hot suites" were part of the BioSurity program.

IVINS would goto the division Volleyball games and sometimes drink with the team prior to the game. []

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[] travel consisted of []

The following information was obtained through observation or interview:

Name: []

DOB: []

License Number: []

SSN: []

Home Address: []

Cell Phone number: []

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 01/28/2008

(S) [redacted] Social Security Account Number
(SSAN): [redacted] was telephonically contacted at [redacted] place of
employment, [redacted]
[redacted] on the afternoon of January 24, 2008. After being advised of
the identity of the interviewing Special Agent (SA) and the nature
of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

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[redacted] recalled [redacted] last interview with the Federal
Bureau of Investigation circa March 2005, in which [redacted] indicated
that [redacted] conducted work for BRUCE IVINS on [redacted] at the
United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious
Diseases (USAMRIID), Fort Detrick, Maryland. [redacted] continued
this work was minimal and it occurred sometime during [redacted]
employment at USAMRIID from [redacted] however, [redacted] was
unable to define a specific period of time.

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[redacted] advised at some point during this period the
[redacted] in question belonged to BRUCE IVINS. [redacted] described
this [redacted] however, it was by no means
small or portable. In fact, [redacted] recalled in order to get the
equipment into the [redacted] hot suite, it was necessary to [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] further recalled this [redacted] had additional
equipment associated with it that allowed it to [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] further recalled BRUCE IVINS grew avirulent *Bacillus anthracis* in
[redacted] pursuant to the collection and purification of PA.

[redacted]
[redacted] indicated [redacted]
[redacted] or BRUCE IVINS, would be knowledgeable of the source of the [redacted]
funding pertaining to the purchase of [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] advised [redacted] would contact the interviewing SA
should [redacted] recall any additional information.

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[redacted] Date of Birth (DOB) : [redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed as pre-arranged at [redacted] place of employment,

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[redacted] on the morning of January 29, 2008. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Postal Inspector and Special Agent (SA) as well as the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] and has been working at [redacted] in this capacity since [redacted] advised that [redacted] has been employed in one capacity or another at USAMRIID since [redacted] explained that from [redacted] worked for [redacted] at the [redacted] [redacted] also known as the [redacted] at Fort Detrick for the [redacted] The role of the [redacted] at Fort Detrick, Maryland, during this period was to [redacted]

[redacted] As it relates to Fort Detrick, and particularly the United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID), only the [redacted]

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continued that the [redacted] Division [redacted] was small prior to September 11, 2001, and was comprised of the [redacted]

[redacted] or to a lesser degree BRUCE IVINS. [redacted] described IVINS as an anthrax expert who would occasionally [redacted] [redacted] but not very often. IVINS enjoyed being an expert but did not relish taking on any kind of leadership role or roles which required significant decision making responsibilities.

[redacted] recalled that prior to September 11, 2001, there was a shift away from anthrax-vaccine research and more towards anthrax diagnostic and therapeutic research. [redacted] also recalled that prior to September 11, 2001, and even as early as 1998 there was ample funding opportunities for glanders research as that was routinely identified as a bio-defense research gap by the Department of Defense.

[redacted] was specifically queried to confirm or deny the validity of the following statement; if PIs within the [redacted] have said to writer that prior to September 11, 2001, that the rPA vaccine work had run its course and they were being asked to shift to different research work. [redacted] affirmed that to be a valid statement based upon [redacted] recollection and experience at the [redacted] continued that there are two employees in [redacted] office now that could also confirm the validity of that statement.

[redacted]
[redacted] identified these two employees as [redacted]
both [redacted] that could possibly assist further.

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[redacted] indicated that possibly [redacted] who is currently employed with [redacted] may be able to assist further; however, [redacted] reiterated that [redacted] was

[redacted] USAMRIID and unlike [redacted] had direct interaction with the various USAMRIID personnel [redacted]

[redacted] did not have any specific recollection of anyone being overly upset or voicing strong opinions at any of the [redacted] before or after September 11, 2001. [redacted] did not recall [redacted] or anyone else expressing resentment or hostility towards a shift away from the rPA vaccine work prior to September 11, 2001. [redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] recalled that prior to the anthrax-laced letter mailings, funding in the bio-defense area in general was lacking. After the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001, [redacted] opined that bio-defense funding across the board, but especially in anthrax-therapeutics and diagnostics, increased by millions of dollars.

[redacted] affirmed that immediately prior to the September 11, 2001, time frame, USAMRIID was not a "hot bed" for anthrax-vaccine research. [redacted] noted that others were conducting anthrax-vaccine research, such as the Navy. The Navy was working on a "DNA vaccine"; however, USAMRIID was not, as the AVA vaccine was already licensed by a Michigan company, and the rPA research had runs its course at USAMRIID.

[redacted] noted that after 2003, the Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA) replaced the Army as the new program manager for the MCBDRP. [redacted] recalled specifically that DTRA no longer would support "hobby scientists." [redacted] explained "hobby scientist" as those government scientists who were more interested and motivated to continue conducting research which suited their own individual motivations and comfort zone as opposed to proactively seeking to address those postings which address specific research gaps. [redacted] expounded that because the Anthrax vaccine had already been licensed by a Michigan company DTRA was not going to continue funding the anthrax vaccine research to the extent it had in the prior years. [redacted] noted that certainly after the

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anthrax-attacks of 2001 there was an across the board biodefense funding increase, including an increase in anthrax related research pertaining to therapeutics.

[redacted] who was familiar with many PIs in the [redacted] Division at USAMRIID, noted that [redacted] have transitioned well to the DTRA program and have made sound anthrax-therapeutics proposals. [redacted] advised IVINS has no active proposals; however, IVINS possibly was an "extra-mural contracting officer," meaning a technical representative pertaining to anthrax-therapeutics.

[redacted] indicated that there was probably some resistance from the PIs in the [redacted] Division to the DTRA system, however, [redacted] again indicated that [redacted] appeared to have demonstrated an ability to be able to transition. [redacted] clarified that prior 2003, the various

[redacted] Division steering committees along with the recommendation of the MRMC staff decided how and to whom the various research funds would be dispersed. However, since 2003, DTRA has since taken over the Army's role in the management and oversight pertaining to the allocation of these research funds. DTRA has incorporated more structure and accountability in the entire process, via solicitations and proposals, including paying greater attention to prioritizing research initiatives based on research gaps identified at the DoD.

Through observation and interview [redacted] is further described as:

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FIRST NAME:
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SURNAME:
RACE:
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HOME ADDRESS:

EMPLOYER:
WORK ADDRESS:

WORK PHONE:

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Date of transcription 02/11/2008

On 02/06/2008, [redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security account number [redacted] work
telephone number [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] place of
employment, [redacted]

[redacted] After being advised of the identities of
the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview [redacted]
provided the following information:

[redacted] works [redacted] and has
worked there since the [redacted] Prior to [redacted] employment with [redacted]
[redacted] worked at [redacted]
Ohio [redacted] recalled MARY IVINS (BRUCE IVINS' mother) as being in
the local [redacted]. RANDALL IVINS (BRUCE IVINS'
father) was a teacher early in his professional years and then
became a pharmacist. RANDALL IVINS was co-owner of the Ivins and
Jameson Pharmacy. [redacted] knew him to be an upstanding citizen.

[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] didn't know much about MARY
IVINS other than she was not a "local girl" and did not graduate
from high school in Lebanon. [redacted] did not know how RANDALL IVINS
met MARY IVINS. RANDALL IVINS was from Lebanon, Ohio. RANDALL
IVINS was the son of WILBUR IVINS and had a brother named HOWARD
IVINS who was the President of a local bank. [redacted] did not know
where RANDALL IVINS had received his pharmacy education. [redacted]
thought he possibly received his education from National Normal
University in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted] knew the IVINS' family (MARY
and RANDALL IVINS and their children) to live up "on the hill" on
Orchard Avenue where many of the nicer homes in Lebanon were.

[redacted]
[redacted] entered the room during the interview of [redacted]
[redacted] stated that [redacted]
recalled that on one occasion, [redacted]

[redacted] contact address: [redacted]
[redacted] may recall more information about the family and the IVINS
children. [redacted] did not remain in the room for the remainder of
the interview with [redacted]

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[redacted] stated that [redacted] recalled the IVINS having two sons
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[redacted] did not know of the IVINS children or the family having any issues with the law. [redacted]

[redacted] when the school closed. [redacted] presumed the IVINS children may have been in elementary school [redacted] but [redacted] has no detailed recollection of the children.

[redacted] was also asked about [redacted] did not recognize the name [redacted] and could not associate it with anything or any location in the area.

At the conclusion of the interview, [redacted] was asked to review a non-disclosure form. [redacted] voluntarily read and signed the form in the presence of the interviewing agents. The non-disclosure form has been submitted to the case file, 279A-WF-222936-1A Serial 7639.

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Date of transcription 02/11/2008

On 02/06/2008, [redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security account number [redacted] home
telephone number [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted]
residence [redacted] After being advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] knew the RANDALL and MARY IVINS family (BRUCE IVINS' parents) [redacted]

[redacted] in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted]

[redacted] lived in Lebanon [redacted]

and a third, whose name [redacted] couldn't recall. [redacted] didn't interact socially with the family at all but remembers the [redacted] RANDALL IVINS was a pharmacist and ran the local pharmacy in Lebanon. MARY IVINS was [redacted] and took care of the household. [redacted]

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[redacted] As for the youngest IVINS boy (BRUCE IVINS), [redacted] did not know anything regarding his high school years.

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[redacted] did not recall any specific issues between the IVINS family and any of the neighbors. [redacted] was not familiar with any details regarding the relationship between MARY and RANDALL IVINS or between the couple and their children. [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] did not recognize any of the following names of individuals: [redacted]
[redacted] was also asked if [redacted] knew of anything in the area referred to by the name [redacted]
[redacted] did not recognize the name [redacted] and could not associate it with anything or any location in the area.

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Date of transcription 02/11/2008

On 02/07/2008, [redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security account number [redacted] home
telephone number [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] residence
located at [redacted] After
being advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the
purpose of the interview, [redacted] provided the following
information:

[redacted] had heard a few years ago that the FBI was
investigating BRUCE IVINS. [redacted] stated that [redacted]
had mentioned it.

[redacted] BRUCE IVINS
at Lebanon Elementary School in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted] lived on the

[redacted] presumed BRUCE IVINS walked to school.

[redacted] knew IVINS
attended Lebanon High School but did not socialize with him at all.

According to [redacted] RANDALL IVINS (BRUCE IVINS's father)
was a very well-educated man. He attended Princeton University.
RANDALL IVINS owned Ivins Jameson Pharmacy in Lebanon and was a
very pleasant, well-thought of, good businessman with high
principals. [redacted] did not know of any problems between the IVINS
family and law enforcement. [redacted] does not recall any unusual
personal interactions with the IVINS family. [redacted] stated that
the family seemed normal and that RANDALL IVINS was definitely more
outgoing than MARY IVINS. Later in life, after MARY IVINS passed
away, [redacted]

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Nothing out of the ordinary came to mind when [redacted] thought of [redacted] and interactions with BRUCE IVINS. [redacted] had no recollection of anything unusual occurring [redacted] and didn't remember BRUCE IVINS mentioning anything happening in the fourth grade or anything about his home life. [redacted] never noticed anything strange about any of the IVINS children's appearances to indicate any abuse and did not know if the family used corporal punishment for discipline. [redacted] remembers the IVINS family having [redacted] BRUCE IVINS.

[redacted] suspected MARY IVINS pushed BRUCE IVINS to do well in school since he was strong in academics. BRUCE IVINS was a straight A student and didn't fit in with the rest of the kids. If there was a sock hop or elementary school dance, BRUCE IVINS would never be in attendance but if the activity involved classical music such as the Cincinnati Symphony, BRUCE IVINS would have definitely been there. On one occasion, [redacted]

[redacted] stated that BRUCE IVINS had no close friends in elementary school and didn't "hang solid" with anyone. BRUCE IVINS was congenial and pleasant, kept to himself and didn't play any sports. [redacted] could not recall anyone that BRUCE IVINS would have socialized with in high school. [redacted]

[redacted] may know some of BRUCE IVINS' associates (writer believes that [redacted] is referring to [redacted]).
[redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] does not have any family members living in [redacted] was also asked about [redacted] " [redacted] and [redacted] did not recognize any of the names and could not associate them with anything significant or any location in the area.

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Date of transcription 02/11/2008

On 02/07/2008, [redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security account number [redacted] home
telephone number [redacted] was interviewed in the presence of [redacted]
[redacted] at [redacted] residence [redacted]
[redacted] After being advised of the identities of the interviewing
agents and the purpose of the interview, [redacted] provided the
following information:

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[redacted]
high school classmates of BRUCE IVINS at Lebanon High School in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted] stated that [redacted] went to elementary school with BRUCE IVINS but didn't remember any details from those years. [redacted] did not think BRUCE IVINS had many friends in high school and stated that he mostly kept to himself. BRUCE IVINS never seemed like the angry or violent type. [redacted] remembers BRUCE IVINS always walking around with his head leaned down. [redacted] thought BRUCE IVINS was a very smart guy but didn't have a lot of common sense. [redacted] didn't recall BRUCE IVINS ever dating anyone in high school but did remember hearing about an individual BRUCE IVINS dated while in college. [redacted]

worked for the [redacted]

[redacted]
if [redacted] knew BRUCE IVINS because [redacted]
(writer clarified with [redacted] that the [redacted]
name was [redacted] told [redacted] that IVINS showed up on [redacted]
[redacted] thought that IVINS had probably met [redacted] while in college at the University of Cincinnati in 1969.

[redacted] remembers BRUCE IVINS's father as having a pharmacy, the Ivins Jameson Pharmacy in downtown Lebanon, Ohio. BRUCE IVINS's father was an older man, even when BRUCE IVINS was in his high school years. [redacted] thought that BRUCE IVINS [redacted] didn't know anything more about the family other than that they lived on Orchard Avenue in Lebanon. According to [redacted] Orchard Avenue was the "nice section of town." [redacted] did not know BRUCE IVINS's mother. [redacted] thought another classmate, [redacted] would remember more about BRUCE IVINS.

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[redacted] has lived in [redacted] entire life.

[redacted] worked at [redacted]

[redacted] When asked about [redacted] and [redacted] [redacted] only recalled the town of Franklin and thought that off of Route 123 in the town of Franklin there was a city park. [redacted] was not sure what the name of the park was but remembered it being there now as well as during [redacted] adolescent years.

[redacted] has not seen BRUCE IVINS in years, probably since high school, and had heard a rumor at one time that BRUCE IVINS was dead. Later, [redacted] heard that BRUCE IVINS worked in Washington, D.C. and was working with anthrax. [redacted] did not know from whom [redacted] had heard about IVINS and didn't know any more details about BRUCE IVINS' work.

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security account number not provided, home
telephone number [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] residence
located at [redacted] After being
advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the
nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following
information:

[redacted] was a high school classmate of BRUCE IVINS at Lebanon High School in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted] did not hang out with IVINS; however, [redacted] described IVINS as a really sharp, brilliant student, especially in the sciences. IVINS was really "into the books and the microscope stuff." [redacted] was certain that IVINS would have earned a Ph.D. in something having to do with science. [redacted] did not recall IVINS dating anyone while in high school.

[redacted] knew very little about the IVINS family. CLARENCE JAMESON, and IVINS' father, RANDALL IVINS, were co-owners of a pharmacy in Lebanon. When CLARENCE JAMESON died, RANDALL IVINS purchased the business from [redacted]. [redacted] recalled that [redacted] was approximately the same age as [redacted]

[redacted] IVINS graduated from Lebanon High School in 1964. [redacted] believes that, after graduation, IVINS attended college at either the University of Cincinnati or the University of Dayton. [redacted] has not seen IVINS since they graduated.

[redacted] has attended some of the class reunions for Lebanon High School's class of 1964. However, to the best of [redacted] knowledge, IVINS has never attended any of the class reunions.

[redacted] saw IVINS' father, RANDALL IVINS, a few times in the late 1970s. [redacted] discovered that RANDALL IVINS had been substituting at a high school in the area.

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[redacted] did not recognize any of the names of the following individuals: [redacted]
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[redacted] was also asked if [redacted] knew of anything in the area referred to by the name [redacted] or [redacted] could not associate the names [redacted] or [redacted] with anything or any location in the area. [redacted] however, did advise Agents of the existence of a Franklin City Park in Franklin, Ohio.

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security account number [redacted] cellular
telephone number [redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] place of
employment, [redacted] resides at [redacted]

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Ohio. After being advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] was a high school classmate of BRUCE IVINS at Lebanon High School in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted] did not recall being in classes with IVINS in elementary school. During their high school years, [redacted] and IVINS were [redacted] however, did not socialize with IVINS [redacted]. According to [redacted] IVINS stayed to himself, was always quiet and was not very social. [redacted] recalled IVINS was not very involved in sports either. IVINS did, however, receive good grades in school. [redacted] always thought IVINS would go on to achieve something "great." IVINS did not date anyone while he was in high school.

[redacted] recalled that the IVINS family lived on Orchard Avenue in Lebanon, Ohio. IVINS' father, RANDALL IVINS, was a pharmacist and owned a pharmacy in town. [redacted] recalled IVINS [redacted]

[redacted] did not recall IVINS having worked at his father's pharmacy. [redacted] described IVINS' mother as [redacted] never saw IVINS' parents at any [redacted] events and was unable to comment on how the members of the family interacted. IVINS was extremely happy and "just existed." [redacted] never knew IVINS to be violent. According to [redacted] all of the members of the IVINS family were upstanding citizens.

[redacted] has not seen IVINS since they graduated from high school. [redacted] does not believe IVINS has returned to Lebanon since graduation.

[redacted] has attended many of the class reunions for Lebanon High School's class of 1964. [redacted] recalled that, at one of the class reunions, someone mentioned that IVINS had

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died. Upon learning of this, IVINS contacted a reunion official to inform them that he was alive and living in Cincinnati, Ohio.

[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] recalled IVINS' mother was very frail during this time period. IVINS' mother passed away before her husband, RANDALL IVINS. RANDALL IVINS passed away several years later. [redacted] remembers hearing about RANDALL IVINS' passing some time after his death.

[redacted] did not recognize any of the names of the following individuals: [redacted] However, [redacted] did recall a woman by the name of [redacted] graduated from Lebanon High School in [redacted] was able to provide Agents with the names and contact information of individuals who were classmates of IVINS.

[redacted] was also asked if [redacted] knew of anything in the area referred to by the names [redacted] or [redacted] could not associate the names [redacted] with anything or any location in [redacted] pr [redacted] the area.

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
social security account number [redacted] home telephone
number [redacted] cellular telephone number [redacted]
was interviewed at [redacted] residence located at [redacted]
[redacted] After being advised of the identities of the
interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, [redacted]
provided the following information:

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[redacted] knew RANDALL IVINS (BRUCE IVINS' father)
through [redacted] met RANDALL IVINS
approximately [redacted] and RANDALL [redacted]
IVINS were friends. [redacted] maintained a friendship with RANDALL
IVINS [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] recalled RANDALL IVINS had owned a pharmacy in
Lebanon, Ohio. RANDALL IVINS' wife, MARY IVINS, passed away
prior to [redacted] friendship with IVINS. [redacted] to the best
of [redacted] knowledge, never met RANDALL IVINS' wife.

RANDALL IVINS never spoke of his children. [redacted]
recalled meeting [redacted] However [redacted] could not
remember his name. [redacted] provided a description of [redacted] as
he looked at the time of their meeting. [redacted] met
him. [redacted] provided no further information about RANDALL
IVINS or his family.

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] social security account number [redacted] home telephone
number [redacted] was interviewed in the presence of [redacted]
[redacted] at [redacted] residence located at [redacted]
[redacted] After being advised of the
identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the
interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] was a high school classmate of BRUCE IVINS at Lebanon High School in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted] did not know IVINS prior to seventh grade. [redacted] recalled IVINS did not hang out with [redacted] "crowd." [redacted] described IVINS as being very studious and does not recall him having played any sports in high school.

As an adolescent, IVINS never discussed his family life with [redacted] did not know anything about IVINS' [redacted]
[redacted] IVINS' father, RANDALL IVINS, owned a pharmacy in Lebanon, Ohio. [redacted] was unable to provide any other information about the IVINS family.

[redacted] and IVINS graduated from Lebanon High School in 1964. [redacted] does not know where IVINS went to college. [redacted] has not seen IVINS in over forty years. [redacted]

[redacted] At the class' 25 year reunion, a former classmate informed [redacted] that BRUCE IVINS had died. [redacted]

[redacted] At the end of the reunion activities, [redacted] was approached by an individual who informed [redacted] that IVINS had not died.

[redacted] later discovered the origin of the rumor about IVINS' death. The local newspaper, THE WESTERN STAR, had interviewed [redacted] During the interview, [redacted] made a reference to his [redacted] [redacted] did not know the name of [redacted] who had been interviewed by the newspaper.

After [redacted] learned that IVINS had not died, [redacted]
[redacted]

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[REDACTED] IVINS told [REDACTED] that he had married and that he [REDACTED] was shocked to learn that IVINS was married and had children, but [REDACTED] was happy to hear the news. [REDACTED] was glad to correspond with IVINS and, after the initial contact, [REDACTED] and IVINS began to e-mail one another. [REDACTED] recalled IVINS discussing a shooting that occurred in San Diego, California. [REDACTED] also recalled that IVINS worked for the military and was doing "secret-type stuff." [REDACTED] received typed and handwritten letters from IVINS. [REDACTED] IVINS also exchanged Christmas cards.

[REDACTED] was shown an e-mail from DR. BRUCE E IVINS dated 11/14/2001. The e-mail was addressed to [REDACTED] as well as several other individuals. The subject of the e-mail was "In the lab" and referenced photographs of blood agar cultures of the Ames strain of *Bacillus anthracis*. [REDACTED] did not recall receiving this particular e-mail from IVINS. [REDACTED] added that, if [REDACTED] had received the e-mail, [REDACTED] would not have opened or downloaded the attached photographs. According to [REDACTED] was very "computer illiterate."

[REDACTED] was able to provide Agents with copies of several letters and Christmas cards [REDACTED] received from IVINS. [REDACTED] also provided Agents with copies of Christmas cards [REDACTED] had received from IVINS. [REDACTED] provided [REDACTED] with copies of the Christmas cards when [REDACTED] first asked [REDACTED] for IVINS' contact information.

[REDACTED] has not received a Christmas card from IVINS in two or three years. It has been more than a year since [REDACTED] has e-mailed IVINS. To date, IVINS has not attended any of the Lebanon High School class reunions held for the class of 1964.

[REDACTED] did not recognize any of the names of the following individuals: [REDACTED] however, did recall a woman by the name of [REDACTED] was a grade younger than [REDACTED] IVINS. [REDACTED] believes [REDACTED] was [REDACTED] was also a classmate of IVINS. [REDACTED] provided Agents with the names and contact information of several other classmates of IVINS.

[REDACTED] was also asked if [REDACTED] knew of anything in the area referred to by the name [REDACTED] did not

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recognize the name _____ and could not associate it with anything or any location in the area.

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Date of transcription' 03/03/2008

[redacted] date of birth [redacted] home telephone
number [redacted] cellular telephone number [redacted]

was interviewed at [redacted] residence [redacted]
[redacted] did not want to disclose [redacted] social
security account number. [redacted] was provided a non-disclosure form
which [redacted] signed. The non-disclosure form was placed in an FD-340
and submitted to the 1A section of the case file, 279A-WF-222936-1A
7687. After being advised of the identities of the interviewing
agents and the purpose of the interview, [redacted] provided the
following information:

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[redacted] attended the University
of [redacted] from [redacted] and graduated in [redacted] with a degree in
[redacted] worked in a [redacted]
[redacted] program at [redacted] which
involved alternating work and studies.

[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] described IVINS as

rigid, and described [redacted]

[redacted] believes that
[redacted] last contact with IVINS was in [redacted]

[redacted] recalled IVINS as being the only child of the
IVINS family. IVINS's father was a pharmacist and owned a pharmacy
in Lebanon, Ohio [redacted] thought that the IVINS' pharmacy was the only
one in the town. [redacted] thought that the family was fairly well
off financially. [redacted] may have met IVINS's parents on one
occasion [redacted] but never had any

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other interactions with them. IVINS "kept his parents in the background." IVINS did not speak of his parents and never mentioned where his father went to college. IVINS's parents would send food to IVINS. [redacted] felt that they cared for IVINS, were concerned for how he was doing in school, and cared about his grades. IVINS never discussed his relatives or anything about family activities or lifestyle. [redacted] assumed that IVINS went on family vacations as a younger child but he didn't recall him ever mentioning any specific details as to where they went or what they did. IVINS never mentioned Princeton or anything else related to New Jersey to [redacted]. IVINS did not talk about any mental illness issues in his family. [redacted] thought that IVINS's mother may have been in a social circle in Lebanon, Ohio, but didn't think it was the most popular group. [redacted] thought IVINS mother worked at the pharmacy with IVINS father. [redacted] recalled that IVINS worked at the pharmacy as a child stocking shelves. [redacted] did not know where IVINS went to elementary school.

IVINS did not have any girlfriends while in college. According to [redacted] he had no inclination to chase the opposite sex or the same sex. [redacted]

[redacted] did not recall IVINS ever mentioning that he had been rejected by someone, but gave the impression that he had girlfriends when he was in high school. After IVINS would mention a name of one of his girlfriends in high school, [redacted] would look at him like "who was that?"

IVINS did not own or wear women's clothing, did not discuss or demonstrate any use or affection towards blindfolding, and did not have anything other than a ball or some sort of widget on his card table. [redacted] did not know of IVINS working with cipher combinations or codes but could see IVINS liking that sort of thing. [redacted] said it would have been like chemical formulas for IVINS. IVINS liked what he was studying in school. IVINS did have some magazines that he brought from home such as News Week. IVINS kept apprized of current affairs and would occasionally start a conversation about politics but didn't express a conservative or liberal preference. IVINS was "well read" and may have read novels on occasion but it was not something he did every day. [redacted] believed IVINS was of the Protestant faith but didn't recall IVINS going to church. [redacted] commented that IVINS did not appear to be concerned that he was not going to church or that his parents would find out that he was not attending church. [redacted] did not know if IVINS explored other religions.

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IVINS took a psychology class in college as part of his curriculum and would make comments about abnormal psyche but never referred to anything specific. IVINS sometimes seemed disgusted with the abnormal behavior talked about in class and would say that he had never heard of such a person. He made other comments like "I wonder what happened to them", but [redacted] felt that IVINS looked down at people with problems like that.

[redacted] stated multiple times that IVINS was "obsessive compulsive." IVINS maintained a very neat, perfectly organized desk

[redacted] IVINS liked his "world ordered". [redacted]

[redacted] He studied hard and was a "perfectionist". IVINS would always be dressed neatly and usually his clothing was ironed and pressed. He typically would wear button-up shirts. [redacted] could not remember if IVINS majored in Chemistry or Biology but knew he did very well academically. [redacted]

[redacted] IVINS did laundry at the same time on the same day every week. IVINS liked the kitchen and bathroom to be clean and would comment [redacted] if he felt things were a mess.

IVINS kept his food in a designated corner of the refrigerator and had the best stocked section. All [redacted] knew that the food was his. Every once and a while, IVINS would become frustrated with one [redacted] for some reason or another, like if one [redacted] ate his food, and he would say "you wouldn't want me dropping this in your water," referring to some pills he had. [redacted] stated that this comment was not made in a threatening or negative way but used by IVINS to enforce his compulsiveness to not have anyone touch his belongings. IVINS said this in the presence of [redacted]

[redacted] knew that IVINS's father had a pharmacology background and that IVINS was good in chemistry and thought that IVINS felt that he knew these things better than anyone else and he could use his knowledge to intimidate [redacted] into respecting him since he wasn't very physical or verbal. IVINS portrayed that he knew "evil" things that no one else knew about. IVINS did not take any illegal drugs as far as [redacted] knew. IVINS did compulsively take vitamins and then the "normal sinus, Echinacea, and herbals here and there." IVINS was always well stocked with everything to include food, pencils, Aspirin, and even spare shirts.

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[redacted] did not think IVINS was ever depressed and that he kept steady in his moods. [redacted] did not recall IVINS ever being angry or vocal about anything. IVINS did periodically get frustrated with a professor or a grade that he got in his academics or with a student who was slowing the class down but [redacted] was not aware of IVINS ever doing something retaliatory. IVINS kept to himself and did not want to expose himself to risk. [redacted] referred to IVINS as a "risk adverter". [redacted] did not know IVINS to ever write any retaliatory letters.

According to [redacted] IVINS didn't feel that he fit in socially with many people and often believed IVINS thought to himself that he was "not sure if I'm ok." IVINS would not have gone out by himself anywhere to a social setting. If anything [redacted] [redacted] would go get pizza but IVINS would not have gone and sat at the pizza place by himself. [redacted] often thought that IVINS may have been bullied in junior or senior high because he knew better than to get into something and he'd rather just stay away than to take a chance to fit in. [redacted] did not know of any instances in college where IVINS was hazed or harassed that may have influenced his behavior. [redacted] IVINS ever went on any weekend trips. IVINS did not have any other friends that [redacted] knew of other than [redacted]

IVINS was a physically fit individual. [redacted] described IVINS as being "handsome." [redacted] did not think that IVINS had any physical ailments. IVINS exercised and played pick-up touch football [redacted]

[redacted] At times, IVINS was very excited about playing touch football and would be waiting [redacted] and would encourage all of them to play. IVINS would get upset if [redacted] would play touch football without him, but [redacted] explained that other times he would be too busy studying to play. IVINS did not express any interest in acting or performing in any college plays.

For the most part, [redacted] stayed at the University of Cincinnati on the weekends and left maybe one out of three of the weekends in the month. [redacted]

[redacted] did not remember hearing of any burglaries or vandalism occurring on campus when [redacted] was in school.

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While at the University of Cincinnati, IVINS [redacted]

[redacted] ever attended any parties either. [redacted] did not recall IVINS ever trying out for a fraternity and didn't mention any interest in any sororities. [redacted] did not know of any life changing events that may have occurred in IVINS life, but did recall that [redacted]

[redacted] According to [redacted] fraternities and sororities were not a significant part of the college when they were there. All [redacted] "turned their noses up" to the fraternities. [redacted] did not know if there was a Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority on campus. [redacted] thought IVINS may have been inducted into a Chemistry or Biology Honorary Society.

[redacted] did not recall IVINS ever mentioning [redacted] or know of anything [redacted] at or around the University of Cincinnati. [redacted] did not recognize the names [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] stated that at some point when [redacted] found out that IVINS worked in the field of chemical/biological warfare, [redacted] thought that it was the perfect fit for IVINS. IVINS liked clandestine-type things and was intrigued to know things that no one else knew about.

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Date of transcription 05/07/2008

[redacted] date of birth
[redacted] social security account number [redacted] home
telephone number [redacted] home address [redacted]
[redacted] work phone number [redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed at [redacted] place of employment.
[redacted]

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[redacted] was provided a non-disclosure form which [redacted] reviewed and signed. The non-disclosure form has been placed in an FD-340 and submitted to the 1A section of the case file, 279A-WF-222936-1A 7776. After being advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

[redacted] began as a student [redacted] freshman year at the [redacted]
[redacted] graduated in [redacted]
From [redacted] worked as a [redacted]
[redacted]

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[redacted]

[redacted]
Over the next several years, [redacted] became an [redacted] and [redacted]
While at [redacted] worked on [redacted] research and conducted studies for [redacted]
to determine the effectiveness of the [redacted]
left [redacted] in [redacted] to become a [redacted] at [redacted]
Since working at [redacted] primary research has been on [redacted] specifically [redacted]

While at [redacted] had a number of [redacted]
working with [redacted] One

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of [redacted] BRUCE IVINS. At the time IVINS was employed at the laboratory,

[redacted] said [redacted] was very fortunate as a [redacted] due to the fact that [redacted]

worked with [redacted] and IVINS on a significant portion of the research. [redacted] IVINS were studying [redacted]

[redacted] IVINS [redacted] were deeply involved in analyzing the ability of [redacted]

[redacted] recalled [redacted] IVINS spending very long hours in the laboratory. [redacted] didn't have to put in the time but some of the [redacted] and definitely the [redacted] IVINS, would spend hours in the laboratory. IVINS would sometimes sleep on the floor of the laboratory if he had an experiment going on that needed to be monitored through the night. IVINS would lay on the floor instead of sitting in a chair because he had back problems. [redacted] felt that [redacted] got to know IVINS fairly well. IVINS was married at the time to [redacted]

[redacted] did socialize on occasion with BRUCE IVINS outside of the laboratory.

IVINS didn't talk much about his family life. [redacted] thought he had grown up in Ohio. [redacted] described IVINS as an extremely bright, talented man. IVINS was not much of an athlete. IVINS played guitar and would juggle in order to relax. IVINS told [redacted] that he would occasionally go to [redacted] during the day for an hour to meditate in order

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to relieve stress. IVINS was dedicated to science. He worked long hours, was nice, personable, and gracious. IVINS was also very religious and, while working at [redacted] was involved with a church. IVINS and [redacted] may have discussed religious views on occasion but it wasn't a topic scientists got into a lot.

IVINS would ask [redacted] questions that [redacted] stated were "intellectually interesting" to him, but annoying to other people. [redacted] stated, however, that was "just Bruce." IVINS just wanted to know. [redacted] never thought IVINS' questions were for any ill-will; they were harmless, and simply due to his genuine interest and curiosity. [redacted] did recall IVINS having an interest in [redacted]

[redacted] would often respond to IVINS' questions by telling him it was none of his business or to just go away. [redacted] did not know IVINS to ever become physically violent or aggressive. IVINS would only occasionally verbally express his agitation. IVINS was the type of person that you could tell when something was irritating him. He was a straight-forward type of guy.

While at [redacted] IVINS would take time off from his work at the laboratory in order to go on vacation or to visit family. [redacted] however, could not recall any specific trips.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] thought IVINS, [redacted]
[redacted] went to work as a post-doctoral researcher in [redacted]
[redacted] may have [redacted] but could not recall. [redacted] stated that IVINS did a very good job [redacted]
and, [redacted] would have written a positive recommendation.

[redacted] recognized the name [redacted] and stated that [redacted]
[redacted] was also a [redacted] worked in a
laboratory on the same floor of the building as [redacted]
[redacted] was an
[redacted] IVINS
would have known [redacted] and probably had an interest in [redacted]
research.

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[redacted] also recognized the name [redacted] although [redacted] could not recall if [redacted] was a [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] recognized the name [redacted] and thought that [redacted] was possibly a [redacted] in either [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] did recall an incident occurring at [redacted] at the time that IVINS would have been working in [redacted] laboratory and remembers IVINS being agitated about it. [redacted] vaguely remembers either equipment, instruments, or some scientific data or data books being stolen but could not provide any details. [redacted] suggested speaking with [redacted] regarding the incident stating that [redacted] might remember the details although [redacted] did not explain why [redacted] thought [redacted] would know.

Approximately six months after the 2001 anthrax attacks, [redacted] invited IVINS [redacted] to give a seminar on anthrax. [redacted] IVINS was an anthrax expert and recalled IVINS had told [redacted] that he was the one that opened the Daschle letter. [redacted] presumed he was chosen by his supervisor to do the work on the letter because he was good at what he did.

[redacted] believes IVINS' supervisor, at the time, was [redacted]. [redacted] IVINS stated that he had to go into the Biosafety Level 4 (BSL 4) facilities in order to conduct his work with the letter. IVINS told [redacted] it was the first time in his 20 years working at USAMRIID that he had been scared because the preparation was the purest, cleanest preparation he had ever seen. IVINS continued in saying that it was weapons grade, so clean and so pure and that nothing he had ever done was so good.

[redacted] IVINS met with the dean of the university at the time and gave a "standard" presentation on anthrax and the history of bioterrorism. IVINS also spoke with the health and safety personnel in the microbiology laboratory. [redacted]
[redacted]

Both before and after the anthrax attacks, [redacted] corresponded with IVINS mainly via e-mail. [redacted] continues to correspond with IVINS at present. IVINS and [redacted] exchanged

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Christmas cards over the years and [redacted] providing interviewers with the names [redacted] [redacted] IVINS' e-mails to [redacted] are frequent at times and spread out over other periods. [redacted] attributes the frequency of his contacts to the amount of money USAMRIID has at the time for research. If IVINS and USAMRIID have a lot of funding, then he doesn't have the time to e-mail, but if the government cuts USAMRIID's budget, then IVINS has time and sends "every joke on the internet." IVINS does not mention his work at USAMRIID much to [redacted] because he can't discuss the information. [redacted] recalled two relatively recent e-mails from IVINS. In one of the e-mails, IVINS [redacted] thought it was a bit unusual at this stage in IVINS life but thought that it was nice. In the second e-mail, [redacted] recalled that IVINS sent [redacted] a link to his You Tube site. IVINS said he had set up this site and [redacted] would have to join in order to see it. [redacted] never visited the site or joined You Tube and said [redacted] told IVINS that [redacted] just didn't have the time to look at it.

[redacted] did not recall IVINS ever mentioning Princeton University, [redacted] or [redacted]

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Date of transcription 06/06/2008

Date of Birth (DOB) :

[redacted] Social Security Account Number (SSAN): [redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed, as pre-arranged, on the afternoon of June 04, 2008. After being advised of the identities of the interviewing Postal Inspector and Special Agent (SA) as well as the nature of the interview [redacted] provided the following information:

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(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 associated with this communication is a Non-disclosure Agreement Form that [redacted] was provided and voluntarily signed.)

[] indicated [] occasionally receives information pertaining to the anthrax-investigation from past or current United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID) employees. [] advised that former USAMRIID [] recently sent [] via email, the Fox News article pertaining to the anthrax-investigation. [] further advised that current USAMRIID [] ask [] at [] if [] had heard the news about BRUCE IVINS. [] responded no, and [] explained the that Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) had searched IVINS's residence and had taken items to include a computer.

[redacted] advised [redacted] left USAMRIID in [redacted] and went to [redacted]
[redacted] and from there had [redacted] further advised [redacted]

recently received a call at [redacted] residence from [redacted] a [redacted] who was querying [redacted] as to the identities of the current and former USAMRIID employees purportedly under FBI investigation as implicated in the Fox News article. [redacted] advised [redacted] told [redacted] that [redacted] could not discuss that.'

(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 is a photocopy of a chart depicting [redacted] hot suite activity between September 11-18, 2001, that [redacted] was shown.)

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by Postal Inspector [redacted]
SA [redacted]

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[redacted] had no explanation for IVINS's late night activity in the B3/B4 hot suites during this period; however, noted IVINS produced a lot of spores for aerosol challenges and [redacted] opined perhaps IVINS hot suite activity was related to that. [redacted] noted, IVINS had produced more anthrax-spores than anyone else at USAMRIID.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] had heard from the FBI that IVINS had a hard time calming down for his polygraph. [redacted] continued that everyone at USAMRIID liked IVINS, and explained his eccentric ways as, "that's just Bruce being Bruce." [redacted] further advised as it pertained to IVINS and the FBI investigation of the anthrax-laced mailings of 2001, "I've never seen anyone more hell bent on bringing attention to himself." An example provided by [redacted] was IVINS's swabbing efforts outside the B3 containment suite. (WFO NOTE: this example re-addressed in detail *infra*).

[redacted] advised that in [redacted] was working for [redacted] at USAMRIID in the [redacted] Division, and at that time anthrax-related research was virtually non-existent; however, after 1980 or 1981, the U.S. learned about the Russian anthrax efforts and [redacted] noted that [redacted] actually [redacted] IVINS was always eccentric, and very animated. [redacted] recalled IVINS was very opinionated and animated in his discussions about politics [redacted] however, [redacted] was unable to recall specific details.

[redacted] indicated in [redacted]
working full-time at USAMRIID. [redacted]

[redacted] noted that when [redacted] IVINS began producing a lot of spores for animal challenges. [redacted] recalled that around the time frame of the first Gulf War everyone at USAMRIID, to include the Bacteriology Division, worked very long hours, and there was a lot of anthrax vaccine challenges on non-human primates during this time. Everyone was taxed. [redacted] was unable to recall any

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specific frustrations, about being more a technician than a primary investigator, that IVINS had expressed during this time; however, noted anytime anyone needed spores they would go to IVINS. [redacted] recalled that there were a lot of issues relating to the anthrax-vaccine around this period too; [redacted] indicated an additive in the vaccine as one such issue. [redacted] recalled that [redacted]

[redacted] opined that IVINS's relationship towards his technicians was professional in nature and not personal.

[redacted] was specifically queried as to who IVINS was purportedly "stalking." [redacted] indicated [redacted] did not know. (WFO
NOTE: [redacted] was read an excerpt from an interview dated [redacted]
[redacted] in which [redacted] begins to tell the interviewing SAs who IVINS was stalking; however, [redacted]

[redacted] initially advised [redacted] did not recall; however, then stated, "I must of said that." After more reflection, [redacted] advised, "I think it was his female technician."

[redacted] indicated that after switching to what would become [redacted] experienced "growing pains." [redacted] continued it wasn't until after [redacted]

[redacted] noted that aside from the [redacted] have contributed to, [redacted] and in particular [redacted]

[redacted] As it relates specifically to anthrax samples, [redacted] noted the first anthrax-hoax letters began to appear in the mid to late 1990s, possibly 1998. [redacted] advised certainly throughout the institute it was well known that [redacted] from the FBI and the U.S. Intelligence Community (USIC) for diagnostic purposes and by the same token [redacted] affirmed if some one from USAMRIID had indeed used a strain of anthrax from USAMRIID in the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001 then certainly that person or persons would know that if any evidence was recovered it would be processed at USAMRIID.

[redacted] re-iterated that [redacted] in the early years with respect to bringing up its [redacted] capabilities; however, throughout [redacted] processed numerous samples [redacted] recalled that the first anthrax-hoax letters began to be processed [redacted] for the FBI circa the mid to late 1990s, possibly 1998. [redacted] relating to

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samples from [REDACTED] as well as serology samples from [REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] underwent a big push to become bigger and more influential. Nevertheless, it wasn't until after September 11, 2001, that [REDACTED] expanded from eight (8) people to around eighty (80).

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] "If anyone at USAMRIID did this, it would be Bruce." [REDACTED] further advised it [REDACTED] opinion that the block style handwriting on the threat letter matched up closer to IVINS's than anyone else's regarding the block style of printing.

[REDACTED] was specifically queried as to why [REDACTED] did not report [REDACTED] opinion to the FBI until almost seven years after the fact, to which [REDACTED] replied [REDACTED] considered IVINS a friend and felt conflicted about casting suspicion upon a friend and co-worker. In addition, [REDACTED] continued that [REDACTED] simply thought that hand writing experts would eventually identify the writer.

[REDACTED] opined that the New York mailings of the anthrax-laced letters mailing of 2001 were an early attempt whereas the Washington, D.C., mailings were a second or more refined attempt. [REDACTED] continued the New York Post and Brokaw anthrax was chunky and multi-colored: blackish, dark tan, and whitish. [REDACTED] opined that anthrax-spores that have been centrifuged display this multi-layered appearance. The Daschle and Leahy anthrax was not chunky, nor did it have a multi-colored appearance, to which [REDACTED] opined suggested that the anthrax-spores were further purified. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] recalled that the media comment of the Washington, D.C., mailings as being "military grade" anthrax [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] clarified that [REDACTED] initial

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[redacted] opined that if the anthrax spores were centrifuged then a readily available and easy method of drying the anthrax spores would be lyophylization. [redacted] reiterated that lyophylization was easy to do with minimal contamination issues because there were filters on the system that would prevent inadvertent aerosolization of the dried material. [redacted] opined a pellet could be dried in under an hour.

[redacted] opined that the centrifugation/purification expertise of the perpetrator(s) is very important to this crime. [redacted] opined an individual with knowledge could use a couple of slow speed centrifugations with water to rid the spores of most cellular debris.

[redacted] recalled there was a lyophilizer around the [redacted] suite in [redacted] continued this lyophilizer was taken by [redacted] [redacted] and [redacted] took it all apart and swabbed it. At a later point in the interview, [redacted] was again was specifically queried as to the location of lyophilizers circa September 2001 within [redacted] to which he replied there was one in [redacted] laboratory, there was one in "B-5" with a shelf unit, and [redacted] had a small one.

[redacted] advised [redacted] was unsure as to how IVINS became involved in the processing of the evidence pertaining to the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001. [redacted] opined [redacted] was asked to participate, possibly because "they" needed counts done by different people or they wanted a different laboratory to do the counts. At a later point, [redacted] recalled it was [redacted] who decided to have IVINS take the letter to B3, [redacted]

[redacted] stated the IVINS worked on the Daschle letter not the Leahy, and furthermore the Leahy letter never went into the [redacted] hot suite. [redacted] disagreed with the possibility of the outside of the baggie containing the Daschle letter being contaminated when IVINS took it from DSD to the B3 hot suite.

[redacted] was fairly certain it was IVINS who took the Daschle letter to B3 from DSD and not [redacted] opined

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[redacted] stated IVINS's swabbing of the B3 hallway always "struck me as odd." [redacted] continued if IVINS wanted to prove that the outside of the Daschle letter was contaminated all he needed to do was swab the hallway towards DSD, which he did not. [redacted] was provided IVINS's possible explanation that, "[He] wasn't allowed to go into DSD," to which [redacted] responded that was "bull shit."

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[redacted] also recalled [redacted] heard that spores were found in IVINS's office. [redacted] reiterated [redacted] could not understand how IVINS's swabbing around B3 or IVINS's office would indicate that DSD was at fault for the contamination. [redacted] stated "What's interesting is that he did not swab DSD." [redacted] advised that DSD was swabbed soon afterwards and it was clean. [redacted] was uncertain if DSD was disinfected; however, indicated that DSD personnel continually disinfected and bleached their work areas in DSD. [redacted] again concluded it was "odd that he didn't [swab] up towards DSD."

[redacted] advised that former USAMRIID employee [redacted] was not [redacted] and left USAMRIID after being [redacted] continued [redacted] would find it hard to believe that IVINS would insinuate to the FBI that [redacted]

[redacted] continued IVINS was "eccentric" and "that [was] Bruce." IVINS was always eccentric. [redacted] recalled IVINS was "very political" and had "very animated" political discussions with [redacted] IVINS was always "hyper" and bouncing around. [redacted] recalled IVINS has been this way for years. [redacted] opined IVINS was an odd person from the way he acted, to the way he dressed, to the lunches he used to bring to work.

[redacted] advised [redacted] had never heard IVINS discuss much about his family nor any specifics about mental health issues for either IVINS or his family.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] first noticed [redacted] that the spore preps derived from the evidence recovered from the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001 all displayed two distinct colony morphologies. [redacted] recalled a general sense of excitement between researchers pertaining to the discovery which [redacted] opined occurred soon after

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their analysis at USAMRIID as they viewed this as a possible forensic signature. [redacted] recalled [redacted] thought that one of the two colonies may be an apsoragenic mutant. [redacted] opined IVINS would have indeed known of the two colony morphologies discovered in the FBI's evidence as it was openly and freely discussed; furthermore, [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] could not specifically recall a meeting at USAMRIID circa March 2002, in which IVINS, [redacted] [redacted] and the FBI discussed the two colony morphologies discovered in the evidence collected to date pertaining to the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001; however, [redacted] opined a similar meeting took place at the Washington Field Office around that time, and [redacted] opined IVINS may have gone to that meeting. [redacted] concluded, "Definitely, IVINS would have known about it."

[redacted] advised [redacted] had no knowledge of other specific strains of *Bacillus anthracis* at USAMRIID displaying the same two colony morphologies as observed the FBI's evidence; however, other cultures displayed a varied morphology two (2) to three (3) days after plating. [redacted] continued [redacted] may have more specific knowledge pertaining to this point.

[redacted] was provided a photocopy of a Federal Grand Jury subpoena [redacted] was served circa [redacted] for review. [redacted] opined SA [redacted] hand delivered the subpoena to [redacted] presumably on the date indicated on the subpoena. [redacted] stated "there may have well been" a delay from its receipt to when those individuals listed on the subpoena received its instructions. [redacted] stated "it was the FBI's job" to notify those USAMRIID persons listed on the subpoena, and it [redacted] opined [redacted] SA [redacted] and the FBI subsequently informed the individuals listed on the subpoena. [redacted] recalled the instructions associated with the subpoena. [redacted]

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[redacted] advised [redacted] received no comments or concerns from any of the scientists listed on the subpoena regarding how to prepare their [redacted] further advised the preparations of the [redacted] was a "standard microbiology" procedure and no one had any confusion. [redacted] opined [redacted] would be "puzzled" if anyone listed on the subpoena, to include IVINS, stated that they did not understand the instructions on how to prepare the [redacted] reiterated [redacted] was not sure of who specifically instructed the individuals

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listed on the subpoena or how they were served notice of the subpoena, nor did [redacted] recall how long it took USAMRIID to comply with the subpoena request. [redacted] reiterated there should have been no confusion on how to prepare [redacted] affirmed [redacted] would be "surprised" if IVINS was unable to prepare [redacted]. [redacted] further advised IVINS was "usually very accurate."

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[redacted] stated "if anybody at USAMRIID [perpetrated the anthrax-laced letter mailings of 2001], it would have been IVINS." [redacted] continued "only [IVINS] had the setup to produce the quantity of spores that were used in those letters." [redacted] concluded that IVINS, with a starting concentration of 2×10^{11} spores/flask and eight (8) one liter (l) flasks per hot water bath/shaker, would of needed twenty-five (25) runs to produce the quantity of spores used in the mailings. [redacted] affirmed it would not be unusual for the hot water bath/shaker to be in use in the [redacted] hot suite.

(WFO NOTE: enclosed in the FD-340 associated with this communication is an email dated June 21, 2005, with the subject line of "Hot News!" that [redacted] was provided for review as well as [redacted] above captioned calculations.)

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[redacted] responded [redacted] when told that IVINS had authored the provided email. [redacted] continued, "I don't believe he did this," and "amazing." [redacted]

[redacted] could not recall the USAMRIID source for the *Bacillus anthracis* used in [redacted] however, [redacted] opined it was not from IVINS.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] pointed out early on to [redacted] that [redacted] spores did not look the same as the evidence and this was in contrast to what IVINS was saying in the email. [redacted]

[redacted] and that the results indicated [redacted] noted it is impossible to say that the "concentration" of [redacted] was similar to that of the anthrax used in the mailings because "concentration" is a function

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of volume, and dried spores by definition have no volume. [redacted] continued, [redacted] never said anything to the effect that the spores were identical."

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[redacted] advised from time to time [redacted] continued the issues were work related, and were always resolved.

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